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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY. LIMITED.

I CH SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW. IHE Company's Steamship " NAMOA." Cuptain Harris, will be despatched for the

above Ports on SUNDAY, the 25th instant, at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hong kong. 23rd December, 1892. "MOGUL" LINE OF STEAMERS. FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, AND

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HE Steamship Captain Ferrier, will be despatched as above on or about MONDAY, the 1st January, 1893.

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FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. HE Steamship " WOP DESTER" Captain Morice, will be dispatched for the above

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AMUSEMENTS.

AT WEST POINT.

TO-DAY.

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ROBERT LOVE. Acting Manager. Hongkong, 23rd December, 1892.

EATRE ROYAL. CITY HALL. HONGKONG.

MONDAY, 26th December, 1892. WEDNESDAY, 28th DECEMBER, 1892. SATURDAY, Slat DECEMBER, 1892.

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as possible. Hongkong Daily Press Office. Hongkong, 20th December, 1892. BEKANNTMACHUNG.

DIE EINTRAGUNGEN in das Haudels Register sowie anderweitige Bekanntmachungen des Kuiserlichen Konsulates werden im Jahre, 1893, durch die Zeitungen "The Hongkong Daily Press" in Hongkong und "Der Ustasiatische Lloyd" in Shanghai veröffentlicht worden.

Canton, den 15. December, 1892. DER KAISERLICH DEUTSCHE KONSUL BUDLER.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR

HOLIDAYS. N accordance with Ordinance No. 6 of 1875 I the Undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction of Public Business TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) and MON-DAY, the 24th and 26th inst., and MONDAY, the 2nd of JANUARY, 1893.

FOR THE CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON, AND CHINA, JOHN THURBURN. Manager, Hongkong. FOR THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA. AUS-TRALIA, AND CHINA.

T. H. WHITEHEAD, Manager, Hongkong. FOR THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. F. DE BOVIS. Chief Manager.

FOR THE COMPTOIR NATIONAL D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS. L. GLENAT, Acting Agent. FOR THE BANK OF CHINA, JAPAN, AND THE

S. L. DARBY. p. Manager. FOR THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA; LIMITED, GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR, Chief Manager.

STRAITS, LIMITED, HONGEONG,

Hongkong, 22nd December, 1892. [2670 CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS. *HE Undermentioned INSURANCE OF-

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General Agents, CANTON INSUBANCE OFFICE, LTD.: General Managera, HONGKONG FIRE INSUBANCE Co., LTD. N. J. EDE. Secretary,

UNION INSUBANCE SCOIETY OF CANTON, LTD. W. H. PERCIVAL. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE CO., LID. W. H. RAY.

Secretary. CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE CO., LTD. SHEWAN & Co., YANGISZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION, LTD. JAMES B. COUGHTRIE,

Scoretary. CHINA FIRE INSURANCE CO., LTD. WM. MACBEAN. Agent. THE STRAITS INSURANCE CO., LTD.

THE STEATTS FIRE INSUBANCE CO., LTD. Hongkong, 22nd December, 1892.

CUSTOMS NOTIFICATION.

OTICE is hereby given, That MONDAY, next, the 26th instant, and MONDAY, the 2nd January, 1893, will be observed as HOLIDAYS at the KOWLOON CUSTOMS Work at the Opium Examination Hule and

CUSTOMS STATIONS will proceed as usual. J. MCLEAVY BROWN. Commissioner of Customs for Kowloon and District Custom House,

Kowloon, 20th December, 1892. W. POWELL & CO.

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THE Undersigned has received instructions . TANDARD LIFE OFFICE. PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-DAY (FRIDAY), the 23rd DECEMBER, 1892, at NOON. at his Sales Rooms, QUEER'S ROAD,

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AUCTIONS

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TERMS OF SALE -As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG. - Auctioneer. Hongkong, 21st December, 1892,

PUBLIC AUCTION VALUABLE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, ETC. THE Undersigned has received instructions

PUBLIC AUCTION, TO-DAY (FRIDAY), the 23rd DECEMBER, 1892, commencing at 2.30 P.M.,

at his SALES ROOMS. DUDDELL STREET, (to close Accounts), FURNITURE OF THE WELL-KNOWN MANUFACTORY OF THE HALL & HOLTZ COMPANY, SHANGHAI,

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The above will be on view on Thursday, P.M. TERMS OF SALE .- Cash on delivery. GEO. P. LAMMERT, Austioneer.

Hongkong, 20th December, 1892. PUBLIC AUCTION: THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by.

PUBLIC AUCTION,

TUESDAY, the 27th DECEMBER, 1892, at 2.30 P.M., at his Sales ROOMS, QUEEN'S ROAD, an assortment of JAPANESE WARE, KANGA, IMARI, KIOTO, and TOKYO

VASES, JARS, BOWLS, PLATES, IN. CENSE BURNERS, TEA and COFFEE BRONZES, ENAMELLED WARE, and LACQUERED WARE. CABINETS and Ivory Inlaid PANELS. EMBROIDERIES, KAKIMONOS, and EMBROIDERED SCREENS,

TERMS OF SALE .- As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 21st December, 1892. PUBLIC AUCTION. MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received in-

structions from the Mortgages to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION WADNESDAY, the 28th day of DECEMBER,

at 3 o'clock, at the Premises,

t. 44 following:

UNTIL

VALUABLE L'ASEHOLD PROPERTY. — prising :— All that Piece or Parcel of Ground situate at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, having an area of 46,840 square feet or thereabouts and residue of a term of 990 years from the 8th Brethren are cordially invited. March, 1853, subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof and the performance of the Crown Covenants to be performed in respect thereof, and subject also to the existing lettings and tenuncies thereof; and All that Picce or Parcel of Ground situate at Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, having an area of 37,190 square feet or thereabouts and registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOIL No. 578, as the same Premises are held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 8th March, 1858, subject to the payment of the Crown Rent payable in respect thereof and the

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Solicitors for the Mortgages J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 16th December, 1892.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by PUBLIC AUCTION, FRIDAY, the 30th DECEMBER, 1892, at 230 P.M., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road,

SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &o., Comprising: TAPESTRY with Plush Covered DRAW ING-LOOM BUITE. MARBLE-TOP CENTRE a d SIDE TA-CHIMNEY GLASSES, PICTURES, and

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I COOKING STOVE, THEMS OF SALE-As castomery. J. M. ARVSTRONG, Auctioneer Hongkong, 21st December, 1892,

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Hongkong, 6th December, 1892.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE. LIMI.ED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. N accordance with Section 120 of the Articles of Association the General Agents, with approval of the Consulting Committee, will on the 2nd JANUARY, 1893, issue INTEREST WARRANTS of \$5 per Share Payable at the HONGRONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING COB. PORATION, the same being at the Rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the Paid-up Capital of the Office for the year 1892. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the COMPANY will be CLOSED from the 19th to the 31st inst.,

both days inclusive. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Hougkong, 15th December, 1892.

RONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED. THE TRANSFER BOOKS of this Con- Mr. Geo. Fonwick PANY will be CLOSED from the 17th to Hen. & Mrs. Goodman Mr. & Mrs. L. Grunauer the 31st inst, both days inclusive.

Manager. Hongkong, 16th December, 1892. ST. JOHN LODGE OF HONGKONG, No. 618, B.C. A N EMERGENCY MEETING of the Mr. H. E. Borshall above LODGE will be held in the FREE- Mr. E. K. Chandler

23rd inst., at 5 for 5.30 P.M. precisely. Visit- Mr. Cochrana ing Brethren are cordially invited. Hongkong, 20th December, 1892. VICTORIA PRECEPTORY. REGULAR MEETING of the Vic-A TORIA PRECEPTORY will be held TO-

DAY, the 23rd inst., at 8,30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited to at-Hongkong, 17th December, 1892. LODGE, ZETLAND

REGULAR MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREEMAregistered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT | SONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on TUESDAY, the No. 148 as the same provises are held for the 27th inst, at 8 for 8.30 P.M. precisely. Visiting Hongkong, 21st December, 1892.

DILIGENTIA 1.ODGE OF INSTRUCTION. REGULAR -MEETING of the above LODGE will beheld on WEDNESDAY. the 28th DECEMBER, at 5.30 P.M. precisely. Hougkong, 19th December, 1892.

DISTRICE GRAND LODGE OF HONG. KONG AND SOUTH CHINA.

NUAL MEETING of the DISTRICT Bed and Breakfast..... GRAND LODGE OF HONGKONG AND Time SOUTH CHINA will be held in the Masonic Dinner HALL, Zetland Street, Hongkong, on "HURS- | European Servants by the day DAY, the 29th DECEMBER, 189:, at 8.30 for 9 European Fervants by the month (Bed-M. precisely. Hongkong, 7th December, 1892.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION. MATCH, MAGAZINE RIFLE MARTINI-HENRY, will be Fired TO MORROW (SATURDAY), between the OFFI-CERS and SERGEANTS of the SHROPSHIRE LIGHTINFANTRY REGIMENT Magazine Rifle) and the HONGKONG RIFLE ASSO-CIATION (Martini-Henry Riff. Teams-Eight Men a side. Ranges, 200, 500, 600 yards, The following Members are requested to

practise on behalf of the Rifle Association and

to send in their Scores to the Hen. Secretary:---Messrs. W. Duncan, Ford, F. HAYWARD, MANN, D. McLENNAN, ROBERTSON, SWEENEY, KINGSFORD, WARNOPE, and WATSON. ED. ROBINSON. Hon, Secretary. Hongkone, 19th December, 1892;

HONGKONG HIGH-LEVEL FIRAL WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. TIME TABLE. (TO BE IN FORCE FROM 1ST DECEMBER 1892).

7.30 a.m. to 10.30 a.m. Every quarter of an hour. 11.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m. Every duster of an bour.
12.30 p.m. to 2.30 p.m. Every quarter of an bour.
3.30 p.m. to 8.00 p.m. Every quarter of an hour.
Night care at 8.45 p.m. and 9 p.m. and from 9.45 p.m.
to 11.15 p.m. every half hour.

> Extra cars at 11.00 and 11.45 p.m. BUNDATE.

10,30 a.m. and 10.40 a.m. **ТОНИ D. НИМРИВЕТЯ & 80М.**

Hongkong, Sud Possibos, 1898.

General Managers.

SHIPPING ARRIVALS. Dec. 22. Wosano. British str., 1,127, W. E. Sawers, Canton 22nd December, General. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Dec. 22, HOLSTEIN, German str., 1,103, J. Bruhn, Saigon 14th Dec., Rice and Paddy.—Wie-Dac. 22. FOOKSANG, British str., 991, S. Wilde, Shanghai 18th Dec., and Swatow 21st, Gene-PRI.—JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Dec. 22, Frejr. Danish str., 397, C. L. Strand, Pakhoi 19th Dec., and Holhow 21st, General,-ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Dec. 22, Phra Chom Kiao, British str., 1,011. J. Fowler, Bangkok 10th Dec., and Ang Hin 12th, General.-YUEN FAT HONG. Dec. 22, Sishan, British stc. 845, E. F. Stovell, Samarang 10th Dec., General -- KIN TYE

Dec. 22, Fuerno, Chinese str., 526, J. Watts, Tongku and Chefoo 17th Dec., General.

C. E. & M. Co. OLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 22ND DECEMBER. Chingly, British str., for Thursday Island. Choysang, British str., for Swatow. Formese, British str., for Swatow. Ask, Danish str., for Haiphong.

Hein Fung. Chinese str., for Shanghai. Taiyick, German str., for Nagasaki, DEPARTURES. Doc. 22, VERONA. British str., for Shanghai and Yokohama. Dec. 22, ALWINE, German str., for Hollow. Dec. 22, Chingru, British str., for Australia. Dec. 2 CHOYSANG, British str., for Swatow.

Dec. 22; FORMOSA, British str., for Europe. Dec. 22. Heingung, Chinese str., for Shanghai Dec. 22, TAIVICE, German str., for Nagasaki. Dec. 22, Tamsul, British str., for Shanghai. Dec. 22, FOOKSANG, British str., for Canton.

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narse & children

Kowkoon Docks.-Fidelie, Nanking, Reina Cristian, Clara; Pollux. COSMOPOLITAN DOCK .-TO-DAY. Cricket Match on Cricket Ground. Sale of Toys at Mr. Armstrong's, noon. Furniture Sale at Mr. Lammert's, 2.30 p.m. Harmston's Circus at West Point, 3 and 9 p.m.

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Hongkoug, 9th November, 1892.

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Tongkone, DECEMBER 23gp, 1892.

letter, which recently appeared in on the Volunteer movement Mr. Chas. J. Holliday, referring to the mestion of cost, said the members of the Shanghai corps submitted to much that could not be insisted upon, by the authorities in a Orown Colony like Hongkong. Would it be fair to apply this principle to other matters than Volunteering and say that not only the Volunteers but the residents generally of the Model Setthemout have to submit to much that could not be tolerated in the Crown Colony of Hongkong, and that the cost of administration must consequently always be greater here than there? A glance at some of the leading features of the budgets of the two "places may be of some interest. In Hongkdag, in the City of Victoria, the assessed taxes are 13 per cent. At Shanghai the general municipal rate is 8 per cent. on the assessed rentals of foreign houses and 10 per cent. on those of Ohinese houses. In Hongkong the rates cover water, but at Shanglai the waterworks are the property of a company which collects payment itself from such of the inhabitants as may use its water. The majority the Chinese are content to draw their supply from other sources, perhaps like a former Magistrate of the Mixed Court, preferring water with some substance the configuration in a short time. The roof of in it, but Europeans generally have the Company's water laid on, and it would prohably be reasonable to add two per cent. on Office. The fire is supposed to have originated that account to the amount of their rates before comparing them with those paid in Hougkong. We have then a difference of say three per cent. in the house tax paid at the two places. There are of course other items of revenue, but it is hardly necessary to consider these. The land tax at Shangbai may be taken as the equivalent of the J. Orman E. C. Ellis Crown rent paid by lot holders in Hongkong B. Harding and the daes on merchandise as a set off to Capt. Thomas, A.S.C.

of say three per cent, in the house tax therefore represents what we in Hongkong have to pay for the privilege of living in a Crown Colony instead of in a foreign settlement in China. What do we get for the

ing purposes. Work continuing.

As regards the European population. may be conceded at once that so far as re gards personal comfort, convenience, and liberty, we get nothing that we could not very well do without; and as regards the Chinese, their appreciation of the advantages WATSON & CO., LIMITED, they are supposed to enjoy may be rated very low. Turning our attention, however, there are certain undoubted advantages which we have to pay a heavy military contribution, which goes to swell our taxation and the justice of which is disputed by many. That belp ourselves, since we bave to pay what ever the Imperial Authorities demand. Another very substantial advantage is that If Shanghai were made a free city

ment of duties on its trade. Next we may take. Government spends some \$80,000 a year on education, while at Shanghai the grants Pietro, (Bodolfo's Lientenant) made by the Municipality for the same purpose amount to less than Tls. 8.000. establish a public school system, at a cost not less than that of Hongkong. Medical and Sanitary Departments cost us nearly \$150,000 a year, while at Shanghai amounts to only Tls. 37,615, say \$55,000 On the whole it may perhaps be conceded that the Colony gets value for the difference. Then our Gardens and afforestation work cost us over \$21,000 a year, while at Shang-Of the total expenditure in Hongkong in connection with the Botaincal Department the greater proportion should be charged to of the smaller Gardens at Shanghai. Turn-

us \$228,000 a year, exclusive of the heavy

however, does not include the cost of the have a larger population to provide for, and penses which are not incurred at Shanghai. in Hongkong have to pay for. We have a Governor and his staff to support. At a a small army of Consuls, who are supwho are paid by their respective Governments. It is the same with the Legal Degistmey, while Shanghal gets its law for nothing. The Harbour Master's Depart matter we commend to your Excellency's kind ment, too, costs us \$60,000 a year in Hongkong; at Shanghai the Customs Authorities IV. V. VI. and on the health of teachers and take charge of the harbour. We have also to scholars - We trust that your Government will pay uearly \$60,000 a year for the maintenance of the Gaol in Hongkoug; at Shanghai direct hindrance to the education of the colony. the oriminals are taken charge of by the Chinese Authorities, and are treated with

an inhumanity that could not be tolerated 117 under a civilized Government. If the Shanghai Municipality were responsible building owes its existence to the unfiring zeal would forthwith have to provide itself with Gaol and a staff of Gaol officials, It will be seen from the above figures that if hocoured us with their presence. by, not for publication, but as evidence of good taxation at Shanghar is somewhat lighter han in Hongkong it is not altogether gentlemen, I need hardly say that I have atdue to greater economy but to the fact that the budget of the Municipality does not represent the total expenditure, both the Chisatisfaction, and I think we must all admit nese Government and Foreign Governments that the report which has just been read defraying certain more or less onerous from all points of view. I think we may feel charges which we in Hongkong have to des sure that St. Joseph's College is a judiciously orfray for ourselves. Nevertheless there is a good deal in the administration of Shanghai the result has mainly been attained by special which might with advantage be imitated in attention to subjects of the higher classes. The Hongkong, as will be readily admitted by any one who has passed through the Model Settlement and noted its well kept streets

> street traffic, and the general excellence of the municipal arrangements.

> and roads, the superior regulation of the

The steamer Teviot left Singapore yesterday

We would remind our readers of the matines at the circus this afternoon.

The Indo-China steamer Cheludra, from Caloutte and Straits for this port, left Singapore yesterday morning at 6 a.m.

The M. M. steamer Oceanien, with the French mail of November 25th, left Singapore at 5 p.m. yesterday for this port via Saigor.

The P. and O. ateamer Manila left London on the 17th, the Adea left Bombay on the 18th inst., and the Thibet left Singapore at 4.30 p.m. yesterday, for this port.

Wor. Bro. A: O'D. Gourdin, P.M., Treasurer. A Cantonese trader who was offering chances hardly follow the worthy brother, because of fortune to a Portuguese i Queen's Road on he stated in the report that 95 per cent, bad

tickels, was yesterday brought before Mr. Hast- surely cannot be very much too severe and I by Dr. Canthe-There seems no possibility of an ings at the Magistracy and fined \$25, the tickets think if the test were reduced we should have to being confiscated.

About half-past two vesterday morning a fire surely caunot be very much too severe and introduced.

Surely caunot be very much too severe and introduced. The naisance can only be put think if the test were reduced we should have to a stop to by the removal of the processes of salting and drying fish pursued in the neighbourhood complained of to a more suitable locality. Has this evil of being confiscated. About half-past two yesterday morning a fire occurred at a bakery, No. 4, East Street, and quickly obtained a hold on the premises. The Fire Brigade promptly turned out and arrested

the next house was considerably damaged, and the bakery itsi-if was completely destroyed. The premises are insured for \$800 in the Economic through some baskets over the oven becoming

A cricket match will be played to-day and tomorrow, England and Wales of the World. The ollowing are the sides :--

ENGLAND AND WALES. THE WORLD. . H. Flower, R.A. G. S. Coxon Lieut. Hughes-Hughes, R.N. J. A. Lowson G. C. Murray H. F. Iliewicz F. D. Markhain A. M. Quill our Bamp daty. Licence fees also may be H. Orimble H. L. Darby H. B. Welman A. N. Chhai be lest out of consideration. The difference of A. Strick; lie athis

Limited, advises us of the receipt of a telegram standard would be a most desirable introduction. from Mr. Blamey as under :- A had flood has It would enable paronts to keep their boys at destroyed main dam and all bridges. The roads school probably a year or a year and a half. The mortality returns for the week ended are flooded. This will not interfere seriously longer than now, just at that time when boys with operations. Mine quite safe. The flood are more able to acquire and retain knowledge against 22.7 for the corresponding week last

AT JOSEPH'S COLLEGE.

DISTRIBUTION OF PRICES. of St. Joseph's College took place yesterday turn required and if we think of the fact that applicant, and the Board agreed to recommend from the individual to the community at large afternoon. To witness this interesting function there are 20,000 children in the colony who have his appointment. and the highly diverting entertainment by no elementary education it is a great question which it was preceded a large number of ladies | whether we can do more at present for the higher me would not readily forego. Living in a fortress we enjoy a sense of security which the residents at the Treaty Ports do not. For that

loge. His Excellency the Governor (Sir Wil
sequence present, while the body of the body of the design to the educational grant is not so lagro
the hall was crowded with a delighted and the body of the pupils of the colloge. His Excellency the Governor (Sir Wil
ceylon, or Manritius, but I think if more money liam Robinson) presided and among those also is given it will have to be given for the educa-present were Lady Robinson, the Right Rev. tion of those poor little shildren who are with-Bishop Raimondi, and Mr. and Mrs. Fielding out any education at all. I should like to say Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Francis, and others. a few words to the boys. First on bohalf is a matter, however, in which we cannot The programme opened with an instrumental of all the ladies and gentlemen here present I ation of "The Young Captives," which was a tion of the drama-the soul-stirring dramanost moritorious performance, and one to which which they have given us, and I was very glad undoubtedly great care and labour had been de- to see that the villain of the piece was very Hongkong is a free port, whereas Shanghai the young tragedians deserve praise all round (Laughter). I also much thank them for the is subject to Custom regulations and the pay. for the spirit and correctness with which they singing, which was very good. It is very difficult to address boys I know, because one is apt to

Frederick, } (Son- of the Count f ... ; H. Morrison. of Lansfold), (... , A. Hibbar) Brigand, (apeaker)..... Bishop RAIMONDI, at the conclusion of the performance, welcomed His Excellency to the College and referred to the excellent results SON. GUAVA. RASPBERRY, STRAW- morrow probably one of the first things which the report of the school's work showed. the Municipality would do would be to which result he attributed as much to the care and attention of the Brothers who supervised the instruction as to the perseverance and di-

Our ligence of the papils. Rev. Brother ABBAN said: -- Your Excellency. my lord, ladies and gentlemen. I am much pleased to have the honour of placing before you the rethe expenditure under the same heads port of the College for 1-92. This custom has been departed from for the past few years, but in deference to Bishop Raimondi's wishes we return to the old lines. The health of the school is good. and the attendance of the children excellent. They are passionately fond of physical drill and the warmest thanks of the brothers, parents, and pupils are due to your Excellency and to bai the expenditure under the head of Lady Robinson for your presence at the boys' Gardens is only Tis. 4,500, or under \$7,000. parade of November 14th. The gentlemen of Hongkong gave us the means of supplying the cricketers with a complete outfit. We wish them all prosperity for their princely generosity. A difference of opinion baving arisen as to the choice if centre for the Oxford Local Examination we afforestation work, the maintenance of our sent up no candidates this year. These boys larger Gardens costing little more than that who presented themselves in 1890 and 1891 passed oreditably in the obligatory subject, some in French, and nearly all in mensuration, trigonoing to a larger item, we find our police costs | metry, book-keeping, and drawing. At the Be-Hillos Trust Examinations for medals and prises. hald last year, our boys took 1st, 3rd, and 4th places. pension list, while at Shanghai the cost is We have added two important branches of study about Tis. 100,000, say \$150,000. This, to our course of instruction: physiology and phonography. The result of the grant-in-aid ramination for 1892 has been most satisfactory: police on the French Concession. It has of the 144 boys presented 137 passed, giving a also to be remembered that in Hongkong we persentage of 95. Seventy-eight pupils were examined in special subjects, taking 758 papers. H.M. Inspector of Schools, in speaking of the. that the policing of the harbour entails ex- apper standards, says, "The result of the special so much time to teach you. You have in the subjects is very good. Stand. V .- This class Bishop and in them living examples of unselfishdistinguished itself by uniformly good work in all ness and self-sacrifice for the good of There are also a number of services which subjects, but particularly in grammar and geoed in all subjects; but grainmar, composition, and mar, however, I must say that every class from have given u. I am sorry to say that Shanghai there is no Governor, but there Stand: III. to Stand. VI. showed very good posed to perform valuable functions, but gratifying to us, but we respectfully beg leave to object to the severity of Dr. Eitel's examination. His questions are entirely too difficult in some subjects, and his test of partments, which cost us in Hongkong three problems, two of which must be right over \$95,000 a year, including the Ma- to qualify for a pass, is hardly a fair one.

Otherwise our Inspector is a kind and considerate examiner. In connection with this ing accorded to him for thus officiating. consideration Article 22, Education Code. This article presses with much force on Standards either have it removed from the code or modi-The absence of a seventh standard is a Our establishment is indebted to the Hon. E. R. Belilios for two scholarships and for valuable yearly prizes. The other generous donors we thank most cordially for their annual gifts. Those for whose special benefit this institution is conducted do not forget that this bandsome custody of the criminals it of our Venerable Bishop and to the protection of the British Government. We thank your

Excellency for presiding at our distribution of

prises, as also the other gentlemen who have HIS EXCELLENCY, who was received with ond applause, said—My lord Bishop, ladjes and lended this distribution of prizes—they are not yet distributed, however-this function, with by the Brother Director is most gratifying ganised and highly effective institution. The port shows ad improvement on last year and grant-in-aid, which has been referred to in the earnings, which is about \$23 to each scholar in average attendance. I think that is very entisfactory indeed. The report, of which I hold a dony in my hand, refers to several subjects on which I should like to make a few remarks. It drill parade was so much appreciated. I can afternoons we have ever spent in Hongkoug and we were so pleased with the drill of the boys that we have established a little physical drill at Government House-we have a class to the amissace elsewhere than where it is now being among our two boys ourselves. (Applanse). We hope that our two little boys will be able to compete with some of the junior classes very shortly. (Applause.) I am sure that physical drill

subject to better discipline in school. I have greate at or near their places of business .- I have, &c., always thought that mens sana in corpore sano was the thing to be aimed at in all colleges and schools. The worthy brother who read the report made some remarks about the two of which must be right to qualify for a page, de cription, it would be safer to withdraw it. because the grant-in-aid is more liberal here indistment in the Supreme Court. than it is in England, and I am afraid I Wednesday, in the shape of Manila lottery passed that test. If 95 per cent, have passed, it culating cover :-

[Laughter.] Then he also called my considers. | now figure as a nulsance !

comes in. In England the rule is that no should be served to remove all decaying fish. acholar may be presented for examination except! The DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC WORKS-From in two special subjects and if the masters of the enquiries I have made it appears that the no room for such in Hongkong, whilst in many cases schools throughout the island wish for the adop. legitimate trade of salting and drying the fish tion of the English system I do not think there | does not constitute the nuisance. The nuisance would be any objection whatever to it, indeed I has arisen meinly from the practice of storing always did think that it would be very much decaying fish upon the premises, drying them on better for boys to have a thorough knowledge the roofs, and salting them resity for sale again.

of two special subjects than to have a leaser I think if the latter practice were stopped the

mark made in the report. I believe myself that for human food. is subsiding. I do not consider it necessary to than at the time they generally leave at pre-repair dam. Always sufficient water for mill-sent. (Hear, hear.) From that point of view it December showed the death rate to be 246. a seventh standard. But then comes the question of money. The Governor has not a free

say that he has, but it is the Legislative Conneil circulated among the members. The minutes who hold the purso. If we introduce a seventh attached approved of the President's auggestion The annual prize distribution to the students standard there will be some additional expendi- that Mr. Galbraith Moffat was the most suitable olo, and was followed by a dramatic represent- bave to thank them for the capital representaoted. The casts of the piece was as follows, and readily converted from the error of his ways. think that the boys forget the advice we give them; that it goes in at one ear and out at the other; but still I should like to tell you boys that you cannot oo soon realise the necessity for attendsent and past, arose from the people. Now we to be second in the land of Pherson. Take another case, the case of David-a little shopherd had not been a good and dutiful shepherd boy. attending his father's flock as he should do the good king he was. Whenever the eves of your masters are upon you do as well as you can. and when they are not upon you then try to do a little better if possible. We cannot all b Prime Ministers or kings but we can all liv good lives, and by those lives influence for good these with whom we come into con-tact. The worthy and excellent Bishop has been mentioned in the last paragraph of the report, which says, " Those for whose special benefit this justitution is conducted do not forget that this handsome building owes its existance to the untiring real of our venerable Bishop.". Now I do not think that anyone the colony need be reminded of a fact of that sort because it must be perfectly known to all of you what is known to me. a comparative stranger, that for 35 or 3 years the worthy Bishop has laboured in th cause of education in the colony. I am perfeetly sure that be has in that direction sown much good, seel and that it has blossomed

and is blossoming and will blossom herenfter. You boys ought to try to realiss how much you are indebted not only to the venerable Bishop but to the worthy Christian brothers who devoteducation and for the interests of their

Shanghai gets for nothing, but which we graphy. Stand VI .- Very good work was present. Mother Church. (Applause.) I have only again to thank you, my lord, for asking me to come mathematics were specially good. As to gram, here and you boys for the entertainment you shall not be able to present the prizes myself, as results. English composition is the brightest, we have promised to dine with the Admiral at a glory of Stand, VI." Those remarks are most quirfer to eight this evening. My friend the Chief Justice, Mr. Fielding Clarke, bas, however, kindly consented to present them instead f you will excuse me. (Applausal....

> His Excellency and Lady Robinson than left the College amid ringing cheers, and Mr. Fielding Clarke presented the prizes to the successful students, a hearty vote of thanks be-

HONGKONG SANITABY BOARD.

2000; Hou. J. H. Stowert-Lockhart prociding. There were also present Hon. F. A. Cooper | Menden. (Director of Public Works), Major-General N. J. Ede, and Mr. H. McCallum (Secretary.) THE BALT FISH QUESTION. The following papers were laid before the

Board in reference to this question :-In submitting the attached letter, a copy of which is in circulation, to members together with a copy of this minute. I desire to invite attention to the following points and to suggest that they be laid before the Acting Attorney-General for his consideration and opinion thereon before the notice which has served is discharged, as at present advised by him.

1.—That a complaint has been received that the fish dealers referred to in the letter at times create. a pronounced smell nuisance which is in the opinion of the Colonial Surgeon and the Superintendent of the Civil Hospital injurious to the healt of the residents in the Hospital. That this smell muisance arises from the cleaning and drying of fish on their premises in Salt Fish Lone when the fish is in an offensive and

down that when the Board receives any information respecting the existence of a nulsance, the Hoard shall, if entiated of the existence of the naisance. permissive, it is mandatory. 8. If the Board is satisfied that the mussauce does

at times oxist and is liable to recur, then the notice self to know that our presence at the recent cleanse and dry your fish elsewhere than in or proximity to the above mentioned premises when the the notice, and the other is to do what is giving rise

Colonial Secretary's Office, Sir,-In reply to your letter No. 74 of the 18th ult., is an admirable institution in every possible an directed to branemit to you for the information of the is an admirable institution in every possible sanitary Board the enclosed copy of an opinion of the accounts. Mrs. Sharp points out to me, however, their operations. I have great pleasure in active of school but smart and intelligent and cortain dealers in salt-lightly whate the nuisance they been circulated. I myself was furnished with Committee.

The Secretary, Sanitary Board, &c., &c. &ch' the report made some remarks about the Although I am not prepared to go to the longth Ma severity of Dr. Eitel's examination. He says: — Francis has in saying that the notice is not at all valid, I "His questions are entirely too difficult in think that having regard to the importance of the questions subjects and his test of three subjects, tion raised and to the doubt I entertain whether a new time of schiols must be wight to apply for a page. At the last regular meeting of the Eothen is hardly a fair one." - You must know that the If the process of drying fish is really a hulastone and

> Acting Attorney-General The following minutes appeared on the cir

Laughter.) Then he also called my considers. In a missance?

It ion to Article 22 of the Educational Code. He asys—"This article preases with much force on Stendards IV, V, VI. and on the health of teachers and acholars." The article of which complaint is made allows masters to present scholars in any number of special subjects, and I think the hardship is caused by the teachers trying so many subjects—three or four special supposes to be incomplaint to the substance of decaying the Director of Public Works—The nuisance to present through the Attorney General and the Courts of law.

If the provisions of the Ordinance are compulsory on the floard. The Hospital authorities are not, therefore, left without remedy. Let the Government act through the Attorney General and the Courts of law.

If the provisions of the Ordinance are compulsory on the floard. The Hospital authorities are not, theretrying so many subjects—three or four special appears to be one mainly to the existence of decaying subjects as well as five or perhaps six or fish on the premises and not to carrying on of the dinary subjects. That is where the hardship trade of salting and drying wholesome fish. Notice

Mr. Cyril H. C. Platt has been appointed Pri- a veventh standard is a direct hindrance to the longituded to inspect have been placed here and there in suitable employrate Secretary to His Excellency the Governor. education of the colony " That is another re- the premises periodically and soise all fish unfit

would be a very excellent improvement to add against 18.5 for the corresponding week last year. THE POST OF INSPECTOR OF NUISASCRS. A number of applications for the vacant post

hand in the matter of money, you know. They of inspector of nuisances had been received and

The Board then adjourned until Wednesday. January 4th, 1898, at 3 p.m.

THE CITY HALL.

The annual meeting of shareholders in an subscribers to the City Hall was hold yesterday. Mr. H. L. Dalrymple presided, and there were Noronka & Co. for repeated and generous help in also present Mr. H. Hoppins, Mr. B. Layton, printing and Mr. H. L. Dennys (Scoretary).

The CHAIRMAN suid—With your permission, gentlemen, we will follow the usual course at

the annual meeting of this institution and take the report and accounts, which have been in Treasurer; and Mrs. Granville Sharp, Hon. Socretary your hands some days, as read. There is not much calling for remark beyond what is conveyed in the report: the building is in a satisfactory state and various alterations and improvements Mrs. Clarke Mrs. Gordon, Mrs. Keswick, Mrs. Louch. have been carried out in the theatre during the year. As regards the accounts you will observe that we now have a sum of \$10,000 on deposit of the Society as follows: - Dr. - 1892 - To prired. But in the ears of Kayer and Anson with the Hongkong and Shanghal Hank. The balance from last yeur, 8645.94; to don tions (1849-1859) the Government of the Shog and ance, diligence, and faithfulness. Lam very glad show a falling off of nearly \$2,000 net, which Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, \$20.90; total, of inactivity. It was then that advantage was therefore I say—dilig non, attendance, and faith—your committee are disposed to attribute in pirt \$2.501.75. Balance, viz., on fixed deposit taken of our o adition by foreign countries, and faithed to the Pautomine given by the amateurs last win- Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. we were induced to conclude most unfair treater, which being announced considerably in ad. | \$200.00; current account, \$450.62; total, \$650.62, ties with them. vance nodoubt had adeterrent effect on the larger | Cr. - By relief of cases, \$1,806.63; by printing. will not go to any modern instances but we will travelling companies, which would naturally not \$14.50; by shroff for collecting subscriptions. take for example the patron saint of this come here unless they could secure the use of the \$25.00; by postage stamps and cheque books. College-Joseph. You know how he was sold, theatre continuously for some weeks at a time, \$5.00; by balance. \$6:0.62; total, \$2.501.75. into slavery, but how out of servitude be rose and from which source in the former year The most encouraging feature in the accounts. our funds derived on important increment. the Chairman remarked, was the increase by the Compared with a series of previous years, sum of \$500 in the subscriptions. (Applause. boy who kept his father's sheep diligently and bowever. our revenue shows favourably with He moved the adoption of the report and acfaithfully in the desert steppes of Judes. If he expenditure. One item on the disbursement counts. side of the account, for legal expense, Capt. Amberson seconded.

may be set down as au extraordinary in connection therewith.

lished be adopted. The mosting then separated.

nevolent Society was held at the City Hall yes. have very great pleasure in seconding the re-elec. were continually unsuccessful, and they failed terday. Mr. alford presided, and there were tion of the retiring ladies of committee. I to appreciate the Imperial purpose, because also present Rev. A. G. Goldsmith, Rev. G. H. only wish that my state of health enabled me they did not consult the opinion of the country Bondfield, Mr. Granville Sharp, Capt. Anderson, to enlarge upon this motion. I can only at large. We, Your Majosty's servants, judg-Mrs. Fielding Clarke (President), Mrs. Burdon say that I think the ladies of the committee ing from the condition of other countries, are (Vice-President), Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Bondfield, bave earned a new name during the last year, by personaded that every matter relating to interna-Mrs. Ede, Mrs. A. H. A. Gordon, Mrs. J. J. proving themselves not only to be a benevolent tional jutercourse must be arranged in accor-Keswick, and Miss Anderson (members of Com- society but a beneficent society. I think one dance with popular opinio , since such questions The usual meeting was held yesterday after- mittee). Mrs. Granville Sharp (Hon. Secretary), most favourable feature in the report is the have a direct and vital bearing upon the Mrs Hawkins, Mrs. Bateson Wright, Mrs. gratitude that in a great many cases has been welfare of the country. No alimisters of State

Gordon, (Capt. Superintendent of Police), Mr. the report of the Society, which I have the hon- ty are received in that way, but the gratic lar opinion been Sonsulted, and negotiation our to ask you to adopt, speaks for itself, I think, tude which has been expressed from far with Foreign Powers conduct d in accordance for all who take the trouble to peruse it. It distant lands for aid, assistance, salva. With it, the treaties might have been successtells of some forly pages of distress relieved by tion you may almost call it in some cases, fully revised ere now. The right of concluding this Society's exertions, and I think I should has been a most gratifying feature in the last treaties belongs to the Prorogatives of Your Muthose cases -- work, ladies and gentlemen, which of the Committee be re-elected. in a place like this permits of no perfunctory discharge. While there are many cases of real disdeserving applicants, not willing to assist them- past year, and I do it with very great pleasure, can realise that the ladies who act as the execu- made them their almoners. The report shows tire of this Society have no easy task. I may how the money has been spent, but no 2. That section 18 of the Health Ordinance lays should like to say a few words on the subject is behind the cases that come before the serve a notice requiring the abatement of such ani. my mind, though they may in some cases occupied the thought and attention of the Comsance by doing each things as may be necessary for be in want, these losfers should be relevated mittee. With regard to their investigation, I that purpose. The Ordinance in this respect is not to a casual ward in the gaol, whence, unless know something of the immense labour that the

a copy in advance and was not aware that you ! had not seen it. If you like I will read it. The report, of which copies lay on the table, was then read as follows :-

desire again to thank those who have afforded them | ed the meeting separated. the means during the past year of carrying on their work, and at the same time to show the friends of the society how their money has been expended. To do this wisely and conscientionaly has been Mark Lodge Bro R. Markwick, junr., was electionally a fair one, — Lou must know that the first effort, and their care has been, whilet seeking Worshipful Master for the ensuing year and more severe than the tests applied in England der the circumstances of the case appears to me to be an claims, to avoid, as far as possible, the great and real dnime, to avoid, as far as possible, the great and real danger to which this society is exposed, vis., of mul-tiplying applications for rolled. The number of travellers visiting Hongkong is constantly increasing and with them the class of pauper wanderers handed on from one station to another. Of these it is felt the society should keep clear, reserving its very imited resources for known cases of unavoidable misfortune. Nevertheless, it was found after due investigation that some cases of wanderers were those of real distress respectable men stranded here without grant-in-aid to remain at the present figure. grown more soute of late? If not why does it only their only chance of getting the means of subsistence being their declaration as vagrants by the Magistrate

and consequent consignment to gaol.

It is a great comfort to the ladies of the Benevelent codety to know that the Government has taken the matter in hand as it has long been the opinion o those best informed that further legislation is needed together with the provision of a House of Detaution separate from the Gaol to which it seems undesirable to consign men whose only crime, in many cases, is their utter destitution. To such of these as were considered worthy, tem-porary relief was given to enable them to find situations or work their passage elsewhere; others who had come with letters from the Chaplain at Singapore

were returned with the information that there was relief was refused as beyond the scope of the society. Other work has been the finding suitable-employ-

unwisely brought to China, where there position is The Secretary of the Punjom Mining Co., from an educational point of view a seventh Limited, advises us of the receipt of a telegram standard would be a most desirable introduction. It would enable parents to keep their boys at MOETALITY RETURNS.

In the Secretary of the Punjom Mining Co., from an educational point of view a seventh seconded and the motion was carried, advises us of the receipt of a telegram standard would be a most desirable introduction. In the motion was carried, again found a home with their friends and have written gratefully acknowledging assistance given. Lotters have also been received from England returning Throne on the subject of Treaty Levision. The the money which had been spent by the society, with following translation is published by the Japan

thanks for deliverance from impending ruin.

The sympathy which has been shown by the Chinese in the work of the society and the substantial help afforded by them, and in one instance by the Gun Lascare, has been very enquiraging to the committee.

Mrs. Burdon has kindly offered to receive donations of clothing that may from time to time be given to the society. A committee of four has been appoints to take charge of these garments, arrange for repair and keep them available for distribution to all worth; objects. We therefore hope subscribers will bear this useful branch of the society's work in mind, and send what they have to give away to St. Paul's College. We desire to return thanks to the various goutlemen who have assisted us so willingly whonever we needed their advice and belp.

We thank the managers of the several steamship lines for assistance they have given in reducing faces, thus enabling us to send away many who would other-wise have been burdensome to the community. The committee tender thanks to the proprietors the daily papers for advertising free of charge.

We also thank Mesers. Dakin Brothers for kindly offering to supply medicines at cost price, and Messrs.

Mrs. Lavton and Mrs. Mackintoch having resigned Mrs. Ede and Mrs. Gordon were invited to join the

Mrs. Fielding Clarko was appointed President Mrs. Burdon, Vice-President; Mrs. Hawkins, Hor Mrs. Bell-Irving has kindly seted on the Committee | the people of this Empire. During that long. during Mrs. Keswick's absence. The following ladies retire in rotation, but are sli-gible for re-election: -- Mrs. Barker, Mrs. Burdon

[Then follow cases presented during the year.] The CHAIRMAN then summarised the accounts once was the nation's honour forfeited or im-

he would not have been the good champion and charge, so that taken as a whole the figures ' Rev. A. G. Goldsmith proposed the re-election national rights can be greater than these; shown in balance are not unsatisfactory. Your of the retiring members of the Committee, on t whenever our thoughts dwell upon the Committee has been approached of late by parties. He said -The work of the past year shows that requesting the use of the building, in part or as | these ladies are the very best ladies to under- The exercise of the extraterritorial system on a whole, free or on reduced terms, on the plea of take the work they have so kindly, done. It is ables foreigners to obey only their own laws and the performances being in aid of charities. &c. very gratifying to all of us that there has been an to be subjected to their own judiciary within The Committee consider the charges in force to increase of the number of subscriptions. We the territories of this Empire. Yet we, in be moderate in comparison with other parts of cannot do without the sinews of war, and these their countries, are compelled to obey their the East, and have as a rule not seen their way are important items of success in this liwe, and su'mit to their jurisdiction. Further, to accede to these requests. When a case of per- work. I feel sure that any words of mine the restictions imposed in respect of Customs sonal charity has been brought before them, the are unnecessary with regard to the usefulness tariff disable us from exercising our natural Committee has always met the particular case of such a ladies' committee as we have. There right to tax imported goods, whereas foreign very liberally, but us the City Hall is an institu- are a large number of people who come here countries impose heavy duties on goods experted tion supported by private and voluntary subscriptions time to time with no visible means of by us. Thus our judicial and fiscal rights being tions, in addition to the Covernment grant, and subsistence. Quite recently argentleman handed alike impaired, foreigners are enabled to believe therefore from their point of view one of the me's letter from a Portuguese soliciting sub- in an arbitrary manner. The result must be local charities, they do not consider that further scriptions, remarking that the subject of the that our commerce and industries will daily dereductions should be asked for or conceded. It letter would doubtless be of as great interest to teriorate, that the national wealth will decrease. may be advanced by some that as we hold in hand me as it was to himself. I was sorry that I and that in the end there will be no means of sum of \$10,000 we could afford to let out the could not see the matter in the same light, recuperating our resources. The fault of o.n. theatre and hall on lower terms, but I would 'Such cases are difficult to decide, and it re- cluding such treatles must be attributed to the point out that in the opinion of the Committee | quires all the resourcefulness of the ladies to fact that the people of Your Majesty's realm, this sum should be treated and maintained as a know what to do in cases of that descrip- both high and low, were basking in tru quillity Reserve Fund, none too large to meet any un- ition. I am sure they have shown very and peace, and as the country had been isolated foreseen circumstances, such for instance as the great wisdom during the past year in dealing for a long time, the Ministers of State were coat of extraordinary heavy repairs which might with these people. Such and similar cases can entirely ignorant of foreign conditions. be incurred by reason of damage from tpphoons, only be dealt with by such a society as we have ; to, and I hope this view will be endorsed by they cannot be dealt with by private persons. the public. These, gentlement are all the re- who have not the same opportunities to make marks which occur to me, but before asking inquiries. Such private persons, however much you to adopt this report and accounts. I shall they may endeavour to do real good, are very be glad to hear anything you may wish to say often the means of doing a great deal of harm, and graciously considering the trouble of the By means of this Society the ladies, are able to people, sent, in early days, ambassadors to Europe The CHAIRMAN moved, seconded by Mr. investigate these cases, and they take a great and America, and instructed them to discuss the Torrios, that the report and accounts as pub. deal of pains in investigating them. Real good question of Treaty Revision with foreign Governis thus done, and those who have subscribed have mouts. That was in the 4th year of Maiji (187)

> The annual meeting of the Hongkong Ba- Mr. GRANVILLE SHARP-Mr. Chairman, I of energy. But the efforts of those statesmen elicited from the recipients of the Society's are competent to settle these matters in ac-The Unairman said-Ladies and gentlemen, bounty. It is not always that doles of chari. | cordance with their own views alone. Had popusay that all honour is due to those ladies who year's experiences. I have great pleasure in give their time and attention to enquiring into seconding the resolution that the retiring ladies permitted to interfere with it. But since Your

Rev. G. H. BONDFIELD-I have been requesttress which demand theny apathy and the immeded to move the third resolution, that the dista support of every humans person, there are, as | thanks of the contributories be given to, the is well known in a placelike this, a great many un- | committee of ladies for their services during the selves but ever ready to live on the bounty of because I know how much they deserve the press our opinions. They are :- firstly, that the the generous. Such being the fact the public thanks of the public of Hongkong, who have be taking the matter in a wrong light but I report can ever show how much labour of undeserving applicants. There are, I fear, public. I deresay for one pase that comes into many such-known as beachcombers-and to the report there are two or three that have they are willing to work, I see no course but ladies have, the treasurer, premient, and secthat they should be committed for vagrancy. retary,—theinnumerable letters received, the perwill have, I think, to be allowed to stand with such It was seem very hard to say this, but I think if some seeking out of cases, the giving of relief and medifications as the circumstances of the case as now you will look the plain facts in the face you will, the skilful application of remedies which meet presented demands. It might positely meet the legal most of you, agree with me. Every colony of their case, the sympathy and kindness with difficulty raised if the wording of the notice as re- this kind, with a stream of shipping passing which all the work is done. I am sure the public to Your Majesty. gards the action which is to be taken to abate the this kind, with a stream of shipping passing which all the work is done. I am sure the public nuisance and prevent its recurrence was amended as through it, is liable to appropriate from such cannot do better than trust the sums of money follows, viz. :- Ihatend of the words "To sense hand. people. They drift around the world at the they bestow on charity, or for the relief of cases ling and drying fish in or in proximity to the above expense of others and they must learn that of distress, with the ladies of the Benevolent

which I should like to make a few remarks. It mentioned premises when the fish is in a decaying at all events here we do not want them. Society. The cases of real need are somewhat is very gratifying to Lady Robinson and my and offensive condition," substitute the words "To But Indian and gentlemen, there are many more than we often suppose. Though there But, ladies and gentlemen, there are many more than we often suppose. Though there cases of deserving distress and it is for such are impostors—and I have a very large book that we appeal to the public. I am glad to which is nearly full of cases which I have assure you that it was one of the most enjoyable hoth cases the notual action will be the same, only in see from the accounts that \$1,800 odd has been carefully analysed and particulars of which I one case the wording is to come doing that which aubscribed this last your against \$1.369 in the keep—there are cases of not unworthy men who gives ties to the naisance at the place specified in previous year. (Applause.) This indeed is an come before us. Even beschoombers, as we encouragement to those who undertake the work, call them, may not be altogether to blame: There but still the income might well be augmented in misfortune, there is notual distress, there is were many a wasted dollar saved for this good destitution, and whilst being careful I am sure cause. I do not think I can usefully add any I that the ladies of the Committee have not erred more, but I have great pleasure in proposing the lin being harsh in dealing with any case. No adoption of the report and the passing of the case has been dismissed unless beyond the scope

Hev. A. G. GOLDSMITH seconded. Carried with acclamation. Mr. GRANVILLE SHARP proposed, and Mr. BONDFIELD seconded a vote of thanks to Mr.

The ladies of the Hongkong Benevolent Society Alford for presiding, which having been accord-

ORICKET.

VICTORIA CRICKET AND FOOTBALL CLUB v. BOWBINGTON URICKET CLUB. The following is the score:-

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DEAFNESS ADSOLUTELY CURED .- A Gonknowledge of four or five. That is a mate nuisance would also coase. I therefore move ter which I should be glad to take into come that notice be given to the tenants of the preter which I should be glad to take into come that notice be given to the tenants of the preter which I should be glad to take into come that notice be given to the tenants of the preter which I should be glad to take into come
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being made a frequent subject of the committee and their friends. Shepherd's place; Kennington Park; Insudou. line, largely on the ground that it would pass that were of authors de "The absence of from the promises within 24 hours and that an asterniers have found claustone and others. Dis. End.

JAPANESE MEMORIAL ON TREAT REVISION.

The Popular Party in the House of Representatives have prepared an Address to the Throne on the subject of Trenty Revision. The Mail:

AN ADDRESS TO THE THRONE ON TRHATY May it please Your Majesty :--

I. Your Majesty's most loyal and faithful servant and President of the House of Reprosentatives, desire most humbly to address Your August and Enlightened Majesty:-

We, insignificant and ignorant though we be have been charged, by Your Majesty's grace and by the choice of the people, with the weighty responsibility of representing our country in the Diet; and we are therefore at all times carneatly olicitous not to impair Your Majesty's prestige or slight the trust reposed in us by the people Thus, though sensible of our own demerits, a feeling of the deepest and most faithful loyalty to Your Mojesty, and a zenious desire to obey the Great Constitution which Your Majesty has gracionaly grant d to us, and to express the true opinions of the people, inspire a hope that the finite of a constitutional polity will be realised. and that the national honour may be made to shine brightly throughout the world,

More than two thousand five hundred years have clapsed since Your Majesty's Imperial Annestors ascended the Throne, and began to govern period, owing to the sulightenment of our Rulers on the one hand, and the loyalty of the penple on the other, foreign countries were conquared, invusions were benten back, and never

Your August and Enlightened Majesty then ascended the Throne, and grieving over the decline of the Imperial Household, and angred at the corruption of the Government, employed the weapous of war to eliminate accumulated abuses. Thus matters at once presented a new appearanou and moral virtue grew daily. Alone the unfair treaties remained unravised. The consequence is that our jurisdiction does not extend to foreigners, living githin our borders, nor do we possess tariff an onomy. No trospess on our subject we are constrained to bitter regrets. The considerations make it impossible for Your Majesty's subjects to forget the urgent

necessity of Treaty Revision. Your Majesty, benevolent and enlightened, grieving over the decline of the national power, the satisfaction of knowing that they are helping Thenceforth, during a period of over twenty in really destitute cases and not pauperising peo. years, the Ministers of State have been comple but affording help to these who are worthy of manded to employ their utmost ability and energy help. I have much pleasure in proposing the for the settlement of the question. There has re-election of the retiring ladies of committee. | been no interval of neglect nor any suspension justy; and we. Your Majesty's servants, are not Majesty has made outh to the gods in heavon shove and in the earth baneath, to manage all the affairs of the nation and to administer the empire in accordance with popular opinion, we, Your Majesty's servants, representing the Lower House of the Diet and the opinion of the people of the Realm, may be parmitted bumbly to exextraterritorial system be abolished; secondly that the empire's tariff autonomy be recovered thirdly, that the privilege of taking part in the coasting trade be reserved; and fourthly, that all foreign interference in our domestic admini

> stration be removed. Your Majesty, wise and benevelout, has never disregarded the desire of the country. We therefore humbly pray that Your Majesty will graciously grant our petition, and hasten the conclusion of treaty revision, thus enabling us to live joyfully under the full exercise of Your Majesty's Prerogetives, and to baths in Your Majesty's benevolence. Thus most worshipfully do we venture to present this bumble address

> > SUZUKI SHOSHI. INAGARI SHIMEBU. MISARI KAMENOSUKE KATO HEISHIRO. SHIMADA BABURO OZAKI YPKIG. TAKATA SANATE. KAWASHIMA JUN.

A PACIFIC CABLE.

In November, 1872, public banquets were held London. Adelaide, and Sydney in celebration of the completion of the grand electric chair which united the capitals of the Australian colonies with the rest of the British Empire. Twenty years later proposals have been submitted, in a form which seems to imply serious business, to construct an alternative service to Australa, ia. via the Pacific. The idea has, of course, leen ong monted. Quernsland has never been reconciled to the construction of the land line of 2,000 miles through the heart of Australia by the splendid enterprise of South Australia, which, et a cost of nearly half a million sterling, connected Adelaide with Port Darwin, the terminus of the Eastern Extension Company's cable system. Queensland was ambitious to construct the land link with the company's cable, vin the eastern coast and Cardwell, to the Gulf of Carpenturia. But the energy of South Australia, combined with the ignorance which prevailed as' The above match was played at Happy Valley, to the route from Port Darwin to the Roper River, induced the company to give the preference to the project of the southern colony.

The idea of an alternative cable, via the Paciflo, has long exercised a fascination over the minds of certain enterprising gentlemen in Canada and England. The Pacific Telegraphi Company was accordingly registered, with a nominal capital of £2,000,000. Though this was not subscribed then or since, the company submitted proposals to the Colonial Conference which assembled in London early in 1887 for the construction of a cable from Vancouver Island to Australia, touching at Huwnii, Farming Island, Samon, Fiji, and New Zealand; and, in return for a guarantee. from the Governments of Great Britain, Canada, and the Australian colonies, of traffic to the amount of £75,000 per annum for 25 years; they agreed to grant a cable rate of 4s, per word for both Government and public messages, and to make further reductions if the estimates of increased traffic were realized. A general assent was given by the conference to the importance of cable communication between Australia and tleman who cured himself of Deafness and Vancouver, but the proposal has not advanced Noises in the Head of 14 years' standing by a much beyond the region of discussion. No. .89.8 mainly through British possessions:

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North American continent, being decided on. So

doubt if the French Government can be cousi-

dered in any some pirties to it. They have

long felt the incorreniance and danger of being

isolated from so important a colony as New Cate-

donia, and are willing to pay handsomely to have

the want supplied; but they would probably

open their eyes if they were asked to commit

themselves to the heavy additional responsibili-

ties which must be faced by some Governments

before the main Pacific cable is likely to be

constructed. Colonial statesmen are not blind to

the disadvantages incidental to the cable touch-

ing at French territory, but they seem disposed to pass them over. The Hon. T. Unmack,

when referring to the subject before a recent

inter-colonial conference, said, "He did not

think they need fromble themselves much about

that question, because, first of all, they had

soon how territories frequently changed hands,

ed as neutral." The route, according to Mr.

Unnack, would be first through New Caledonia.

was not supreme.—Times.

for as the wider scheme is concerned, it is spon-to

sea from Shanghai. From Swatow fresh N.E. fong, and U.M.S. Swift.

The British steumer. Phra Chom Klao, from Bangkok 10th Dec., and Ang Hin 12th, had moderate and strong monsoon to Cape Padaran. with nasty choppy sea; thence to Gap Rock movierate monsoon with high sea; thence to port fine weather with moderate breeze from N.E. the British steamer Sishan, from Samsrang.

10th Dec., had moderate and fine weather to Cabra Island; from Cabra to port strong N.E.

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The authorised List of Mails issued in. connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected to a much later hour than that given below.

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MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET. The French Contract Packet Salazie will BAYERN," Captain H. Engelbart, with be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 28th and instant, with Mails for the United Kingdom. CARGO, will leave this Port as above, CALLING Europe, and places beyond, via Marseillis; to Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Coylon, the Australasian, Colonies. Pondishery, Madras, Calentin. Aden, Mauritine, Egypt.

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(Read before the Geological Society, Burlington House, on the 8th Nov.) The Gold-Quarts Formation of Pahange which I believe to be characteristic of the same geological occurrence throughout the great nuriferous gone extending some three hundred and fifty (350) miles between Malacon and Patani, traverses an extensive series of sedimenthe custern side of the central granitic moun- lodes and also in numerous minor stringers and seme and fescinating. It is rather emusing." tain range chiefly consists.

age, consist chiefly of thinly bedded slates, with limestone bads. Locally they are more or less another aggregate form of apriferons d posit of clous meckness. Then I am afraid I shall have metamorphosed and conturied; quartzites, microous and other schists often intervening between the slate series proper and greater igneous rock | times in juxtaposition, and sometimes intimately

Generally these strate are regularly and eveneastwards, from which it would appear that they have been subject to a primary upheaval, due to marine levels

quite recent origin, and undisturbed since the commencement of their deposition, and there appear to be solid sedimentary strata of eozoic age. hang is most frequently associated with, and in certain characteristic dark grey and black slate ed in pockets as the outcrop becomes reduced in rocks, it is not confined to these, but is also found level and volume. in other strata of the sedimentary series extend-

fie geologist or the practical miner, who have, so by means of extensive ground-slaice workings where natural or the patient work of art. In one and his coronet. Now I know, dear Jack, that if I for, had opportunity for only comparatively have been p rtially prospected, on only four of irregular stockwork form of deposit, combining guests as have a taste in that direction, and in which mining operations of any importance are now being carried on.

For the purpose of present description the quartz deposits in the solid rook may be divided into two classes,—though it is difficult to drawthe line very definitely between them, and some deposits can hardly be classed under either of the two, which I describe as-1st, Lodes; 2nd, Irregular formations.

All the deposits have so much in common. that they consist essentially of quartz veins with which the gold is associated, though the metal may not be actually confined to the vein-forming mineral. The differences between the various deposits are essentially of form and extent due to the varying size, shape, continuity, etc., of these quartz veins, on which consequently depends in a great measure their economic value and the method by which exploration and exploitation should be effected.

The first class may be taken to include all the more r gular quartz veins of sufficient size and individuality to be worthy of the name of lod s. The second class co sists also essentially of quartz veins, which are either so irregular as to have lost all resemblance to lodes, or are so numerous as to constitute an aggregate mass with the country rock which they impregnate. A chief and most important feature of even the first class of so-called lodes is. their great irregularity as regards the conditions which generally characterise "true fissure lodes." for. though some of these are well defined in short

sections, they seldom maintain such regularity for more than a few score feet in length and generally they are faulted, split up, cut out, or thinned away in the course of a few fathoms. is noticeable that the greater the width of quartz body, the less continuous it is likely to be, and as a general rule, the less suriferous. while the small voins are often the most regular and continuous, and are sometimes very rich for a considerable length of their course. Most of the good sized lodes which have been

found to be exceptionally regular, have proved comparatively valueless in gold contents, and have therefore not been examined to any great extent. A peopliarity of this auriferous formation is, that while, hardly any of the quarts is are only in local patches, occurring in the small at considerable profit on the installation of suf- flatter me. I wish I would believe that it and indefinite shaped, rather than in the large fi iently large plant to treat it by the use of kin mess of heart alone which prompts y a and more symmetrical quartz bodies.

the Western Lode of Raub, and the Mt. Siam ! lode of Kechau are examples which are in many respects very similar. Embedded in schistose clay-slate rock, they have both proved very irregular in shape, course, and continuity, seldom pering skill and capital to make them available carrying a definite wall, even on one side, for many feet continuously, and the quartz body varying from a few inches to many feet in thickness in the course of a few fathoms. They are often split up into several branches, among which it is difficult to distinguish and to follow the main vein. Within a few feet of the largest swellings the quartz is apt to thin out, and only continue as a thread vein; sometimes it changes to a streak of clay, or pinches out altogether. Less has been done as yet to prove the continuity of the e lodes in vertical than in horizonal billows were blushing rosy red under his last extension, and it is therefore still a matter of linguing kiss. The seductive strains of the uncertainty under what conditions they may be band were fading away upon the bulmy air. bled_" I have been so alone in the world. T

lodes appears to be at the Kermei or Silensing at her charming rimte face. Mines, and it is worthy of notice that these lodes occur in talcose schists instead of clay-state rocks. said, with a ring of discontent in his voice. They have been exposed probably to a far "Have you been attending to m , Flu ?" greater extent than any other quartz lodes in Pahang by ancient workings, of which the shafts " Jack, do you not know that, like the bee upon may still be seen in great numbers and close the flower, I invariably hang upon the honey of

most of the present known Pahang lodes, they the particular situation I have failed to grasp?"
must be characterised as distinctly "patchy" Don't laugh, Flo. It's no laughing matter to and unreliable for anything but a low average me. It means that if I wan't give you up, the old value. We have no information of the changes boy is determined to cut me off with a shilling." experienced in the richness of ore got from the Ranb Western lode which has been exploited to a greater extent than any other lode in Pahang, the Brightstone beauty. Then she turned her and whilst the bulk of this may have yielded attention once more to her lover. about half an ounce per ton, gold was only rarely Dearest of Jacks, the situation is so auti

visible in the stone. At Kechan, the first discoveries of large quartz not encouraging, but we must make the best of it. were found yielding specimen quartz of extraor- fellows staring at you! I should like to punch taste," said my lord. "Perhaps, after all, it dinary richness in the vicinity of which the bulk | their heads for them." of the vein was also of good high grade. These patches were of very limited extent, only pro. Why shouldn't they look at me if it pleases ducing a few hundred ounces of specimen gold | them?" and about the same number of tons of good pay rock but apparently outting out in all directions most abruptly and completely in deptil.

they will probably furnish much scope for pro- for you - that is, if you'll help me to carry out lady was lovely, charming, all that was desir-Stable gold mining in Pahang, and while it is my plan." certain that they will yield large quantities of "This threatens to become exciting." laughet low grade mill stuff, it may also be reasonably Fig. "Unfold your plan, most during of been accustomed to seek their wives. supposed that rich patches of greater extent knights. I promise you every assistance in my . "You interest me deeply, my child," he said. than those of Mt Sim (Kechan) will occa- power." siously be found at other places and afford "You do!" cried Jack, with delight. "Then highly profitable additions to the general re- burrale! "The day is ours." turns of the mines.

The most common and widely distributed ocfluence of a number of such veins-and again, your powers of fascination." impregnating zones of rock in infinite numb rs, intersecting and infinitely disintegrating | would really make you a curtacy. one another and thus forming what may be called "stock works. It is probably from such which is now found in the gravel of so many which is now found in the gravel of so many and the sound in the gravel of so many and the sound indispensable to all the sound the river beds and valleys of the Peninsula. and he's quite old enough to be able to look the natives the difficulty often experienced in tracing after himself."

When she may and she had blood holds the sound indispensable to all the source of life, and this remedy keeps that the natives the natives after himself."

When she may are not of outlines. In this respect only by disappointment. The blood holds the work will be found indispensable to all the source of life, and this remedy keeps that the natives the natives after himself." lodes that most of the alluvial gold is derived, abis old gentleman ?" said Flo demprely. such stream gold to its matrix and the disap- "Dear boy, my last scruple has vanished. I moon A love nen stream gold to its matrix and the disap-pointment in finding fewer definite lodes of will act Circe to this elderly Ulysses, and weave scene to make "a young man's fancy lightly

the indications of the alluvial. Many quartz lodes, and even some of those isn't he?" course, are intimately associated with dykes, or lowence and not feel it an atom." sedimentary strata of Pahang, and constitute an dear, from this moment, or my name's not subject. important element in the goological formations, Florence Braithwaite." of this country; and it appears even probable "It shan't be Florence Braithwaite much "I know I'm an awful bore, old fellow," he that the whole suriferous occurrence is induced longer," was the ready rejoinder. "I mean to said, "But I feel in the willest spirits toby, or is in some way consequent on, this igneous change it to Florence Trefusis without delay." I night. Flo has been getting on splendidly agency, though its connection is only distinctly. "If you attempt to squeeze my hand, Jack, I with the old dad, and there was to be a ball last

Where prominently associated with auri- Philistine, or high art ?" stance, which has become abledy Kaolin, soft taxtes," said Jack spologetically parallel voine, the general strike of which seems . I wish you wouldn't go to Mr. Feeth Those rocks, which are probably of Palcozoic to coincide with that of the dyke, though often brain's 'At Homes,' Flo." grumbled Jack they follow several contrary and intersecting not nice society for you." courses. These dykes may then be regarded as ing those in the slates with which they are some-

Much of the gold in the alluvial deposite of and south, and dipping at steep angles, mostly Pahang must have been derived from these murely. "While Mrs. Featherbrain can be is to decompose rapidly in respect of their fels- no further need of her let us drive her, with the pathic matrix, though, owing to the harder other black sheep, out of the pale of decent sequent gradual elevation which may be supposed skeleton of quarts veins they contain, their society, to have raised the entire peninsula from sub- courses are frequently marked as low hill ranges, from which the soft slates have been more All the alluvial formations appear to be of rapidly denuded into depressions on either side. A remarkable result of the process of weathering denudation on these dyke outcreps, is found in the peculiar detrital deposit into which they Although the gold quarts formation in Pa- become superfloially converted, and which is often extraordinarily productive of gold, the several places most conspicuously developed in precious metal having concentrated or segregat-

These "drift deposits," as they may be styled, pier. ing to the metamorphic rocks and in some have been the object of some of the most explaces it penetrates the adjacent intrusive syen. tensive old workings of Pahang, as probably ite. It has not; however, been traced in any elsewhere in the Peninsula, both on the dyke- evening to be a perfect success. The Turkconnection with the main granitic formation veins and on parts of the slate stock work for ish divans are strewn with the softest and gone the way of all flesh; but she is not deadwhich is generally considered to be the matrix mation. Such workings, attributed to Malays most luxurious cushions, whereon beauty can Read that !" of another system of metalliferons deposits i.e. the cassiterite ore bodies which have produced the vast expanse of the Straits' Alluvial Tin fields.

The cassiterite of the Straits' Alluvial Tin fields. Very little is yet known of the nature of Ma- exploitations of similar ground, the Chinese marked; and the rose-shaded lamps are eminent. faken an unexpected ture. Last evening Lord have removed large banks, and even hill sides, by becoming to the complexions of the ladies, Trefusis did me the honour to offer me his heart and wide open cast excavations.

> impregnated sones of slate and a strong as- this room, sad to say, Miss Braithwaite and sociated dyke formation, is found in the very Lord Trefusis have found a haven of rost. are situated. Here, a continuous stretch of deep red hue throw into charming relief the soft, I will make an earnest endeavour to do so. auriferous quartz bearing rocks is traccable for white, clinging folds which draps her exquisite Good-bye, dear old Jack I We have been very about seven miles from north to south, the form; her rounded arm, as she waves her dainty bre dth of which is several hundred feet, eigarotte, is a model for a sculptor, while one tiny and, in places, several handred yards, but its satin slipper, either by accident or design, is well extent and nature are only as yet slightly en evidence. It is at this slipper that Lord known, from actual mining operations. Through- Trefusis is gazing as he sits in the low lounge out its length the porphyry dyke is evidently a chair which he has drawn beside her. But Lord main constituent of the formation, and is itself! Trefusis does not lounge. He sits bolt upright, wany hundred feet thick in places, as may be possibly because he had not in his youth belongseen in several large surface workings where it | ed to a lounging age; more probably for reasons has been worked wholesale in ground slimes that only his valet could disc ose. For his lord-

during the last forty or tifty years. with the neighbouring sedimentary rocks, and tion arises involuntarily in the human mind whequartz occurs in irregular veins and masses ther any of the original article remains at all. throughout the conused reef formation. In the "Those tiny feet, which resemble so much best known and proved rich portions, the rock Sir John Suckling's immortal mice, have never carrying most gold quartz, and otherwise most | walked to cover, or raced over a cricket field, I slate as that which distinguishes the Ranb smile. black hole, where in direct contact with the dyke rook this state is oither very soft and highgraphitic, as well as pyritous, and auriforous | honeath the disphanous folds of her gown. throughout, or of a harder grey type much conably with the general strike, but in the grey state they are in an opposite direction, like crossanother with great irregularity. It is impossible to ascribe any definite shape or limit to this strange formation which has only as yet been penetrated in two mines of small extent, by underground workings, the deepest part of which is only 100 feet blow the valley water level. Up to the present only the richest quart veins and bodies have been worked, which give an assay value of about an onnes to the ton, but the great value of the deposit lies in the enermous | not think youth -at anyrate, the youth of the quantity of low grade ore it contains, millions of present day-so very charming," she said. "And tons of which could be got with facility and you do not look a bit old. Lord Trefusis" which would yield 2 to 5 dwts of gold per ton

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They were walking on the pier at Brightstone. The sun was slowly sinking to rest in the bosom of the expectant coean, whose translucent found at greater depths than have yet been She was taking appreciative note of the many admiring glances bestowed from all sides in her The nearest approach to the conditions of the direction. He was gazing solely and steadfastly "You don't seem to grasp the situation,"

Flo momentarily raised her saucy eyes to his. your eloquent tougue? Perhaps you have not From the irregular distribution of gold in expressed yourself so clearly as usual. What is Flo gave a passing ned and smile to a group of subalterns, who eagerly deffed their caps to

quated. You have been worrying about that At Kermei the average run of the lodes first | miserable shilling ever since our ill-fated ougage. explored was found to be very low, but patches | ment began. We are no worse off than we always of richer quartz showing gold were sometimes, have been, or than scores of other impecunious for the fin-de-siecle young man? He has no and have ately been, more frequently met with. love lorn youths and maidens. The prospect is bodies were of very poor quality. This was on | "I mean to put an end to it," responded the Mt. Siam lode, where the average quartz us ave young man with a sudden burst of impotent rage. only a few dwts to the ton, but small shoots Then he added, inconsequently, "Confound those

"Because you belong to me." "Not yet, sir." With a distracting move. "Well, you will pretty soon. I have got an Indefinite and uncertain as these lodes are, idea in my bead. I mean to have a hard fight

"Go on please, Jack. I'm all impatience." "Well, look here, Flowmy father is coming draw back. currence of quartz in these rooks, is in the form | down to Brightstone next week. He's a regular of very narrow veins or stringers; sometimes old boan, and I want you to get up a hot and maintaining their individuality in numerous and atrong flirtation with him. Make the old boy parallel recurrence as miniature lodes at distances | downright fond of you—then turn round and tell of a few inches to several feet spart; at others him you want to be his daughter-in-law. He forming a reef-like mass, by proximity and con- won't be able to resist you, if you put forth all "Jack, if we were in a less public place, I in town. It was the hour after dinner, when all and diseases. It is no new thing to say that the many as any other Dictionary hitheric pub-

"You agree?" asked Jack eagerly. "But, Jack, dear, do you think it would be Charlie Lefevre, were smoking their postprandial thus purifying the blood, sets it apart from all minute veins rather than from the larger quarts | quite fair to entangle the affections of a vener-

appreciable value than might be expected from my spells so securely that he shan't have a loop- turn to thoughts of love." hole of estape. Lord Trefusis is awfully rich. which appear most regular in portions of their "Rich cough to treble his son's present al-

GEOLOGY OF THE GOLD QUARTZ ovident in some places, and has not yet been the eye of the British army is upon us. What hoped to cettle the affair altoge her. You don't the eye of the British army is upon us. What hoped to cettle the affair altoge her. You don't the eye of the British army is upon us. What hoped to cettle the affair altoge her. You don't know, Charle, how good, sweet and levely she is society does. Lord Profusis affect—Hebrew. ferous quartz, they are generally found to be in the west been a state of decomposition, rendering their sub-

limited depths yet reached in the mines. give one or two of her evenings. We recline listening to a catalogue of Miss. Braithwaite's Auriferous quartz veins traverse these dykes, on Turkish divans under rose coloured lamps, charms for the last ten days. Here's the post-besides following their junction with the sedi- and worship art with a capital A, if the latest may caming along the embanament. Now mind. mentary rook, sometimes in large masterly high priest of the said art happens to be hand, it's a bargein, when your suspense is relieved the

"Very well, dear," assented Flo, with Bus; the stockwork type - in many respects resemble to abandon your scheme, for there is nawhere else that I can count on meeting Lord Trefusis. "Well, just go for this once," said Jack associated as one formation of most irregular sheepishly, "as so much is at stake; but drop har as soon as you can, don't you kn w." "I see," returned Mits Flo, still more dedyko quartz formations, the tendency of which made useful she is sons reproche; when we have

> "Don't he sarcastic, Flo. I hate the idea of your stooping to such measures, even to conquer. But as this is my last evening, darling. ist us eschow all unpleasant topics for the remainder of my stav. And Flo, melted at the thought of the imminent parting, became ones more her own charming self, and even forbore to glance in the

> direction of the gallant Hankshire subaltern as,

with her lover, she retraced her steps along the

Everyone is pronouncing Mrs. Featherbrain's

The lady is reclining on satin oushious, whose further your prospects, and I promise you that with banks over 100 feet high, by the Chinese, ship conveys the impression of being fearfully and wonderfully made. He looks, in point of She had looked down on both of these so often-As above described, the dyke is intermixed feet, so thoroughly well restored that the que - so very often.

highly mineralised, is the same peculiar black am sure," said his lordship, with a wrinkled tigress, and owes his empe from a horrible death of that she modestly withdrew the dainty slipper | which bears signs of wear and tear.

verted into breccia and sprinkled with large wrinkles despening with the smile. "Compli- diamonds, the gift of the bridegroom. Lord-and crystals of arsenical pyrites. In the dyke and ments are only allowable when they are delicate. Lady Trefusis will spend the honeymoon in the graphitic reef mass the quartz veins are general- by veiled. I am afraid my dear young lade, that Riviera." Charlie laughs scornfully, then turns y small and run more or less parallel conform. I am going with the tim's (horrible phrase!), and looks at the sick man's wasted, feverand that fam losing the art of the gracefully stricken faca. turned speech of my youth. Ah, that lost courses, sometimes of considerable magnitude, and would I not give, when I look at reading of the old-time truths. In these latter the two series junction fault and intersect one you, to be able to call it back if only for one days the wages of sin is diamonds. - Exchange. short evening." "Why, my lord?" asked Flo, hashfully, lower-

> ing her long dark lashes. "Can you ask me why?" he marmured. What power has an old fellow like myself to call the rese to the cheek of Beauty, or the light love to her wes? What claim have I to be allowed to brush the dew from her lies?" The lips of Beauty curled disdainfully "I do "I am afraid, dear Miss Braithwaite, y

"Indeed, no." responded Miss Braithwaits known are of a "mullocky" nature and of these plies to many other parts of Pahang as well as "I have always preferred the society of people a to Penjam, where there is no doubt about the little older than myself. One can learn so much from them. One feels the comfort of a stronger mind to lean upon, which, you know, for a silly little thing like me, is almost a necessity." "I cannot permit you to call yourself silly Miss Braithwaits-may I not call you Flo You will grant me that privilege in considera-

tion of any superior age, will you not?" The silly little thing smiled a sweet assent. Well. Flo. then. I fancy-in spite of your air of guiety-I fancy that you are not happy. Only the toolish idea of a foolish old man, perhaps. But I thought I saw a latent sadness in those bright eyes. Toll mo, am I mistaken?

I trust I am." "How clever you are, Lord Trafusis. My dearest friends have never suspected what you can see at a glance. You know since the death of my dear father"-the sensitive mouth tremhave no one-literally no one-to whom I can confide the secrets or my inmost heart." Inwardly, Lord Trefusis smiled. . He knew that human nature was not prone to indulge in each compromising confidences. Outwardly be ejaculated, sympathetically, "Poor child-poor

"I have no sympathetic bosom on which I can weep out my corrows," continued Flo, warming to her work. "A damp and uncomfortable proceeding, cal culated to cause chemnatism," reflected -Lord

pressed it tenderly. "You affect me deeply, poor little Flo," said. Then the wrinkles puckered themselves up once more into a ghastly smile. " But tell in this ornel world, does it not beat responsive some time, but I grew no better Whatever I

to some other heart that perhaps is separated. from it by an unkind fate?" Oh, no! No" said Flo, half rising from her cushions. " How can one feel any admiration mind, no manners, no soul above his clothes, and his betting book, and his whole code of morality summed up in the words. Thou shalt pay the

"Very true, my dear child; I appland your would be preferable to become an old man's "Oh, please, don't, Jack. I can't bear a scene. darling than the slave of such a one as these." "That has always been my dream, my lord," murmured Flo timidly.

that it would be wase to pause and reflect. A few inquiries would not be amiss. The young able; but still, the society in which he met ber was not of the kind among which he, or his, had "I hope I shall shortly be permitted to meet

"I hope so also, my lord," returned Flo. wordering why, having gone so far, he saw the to As he tottered beside the fresh, young beauty while escorting her to ber carriage, many were the " node and becks and wreathed smiles" exchanged among the bystanders

Jack Trefusis was back at his lonely chambers dyspepsia, the source of most of our aches, pains, animal nature feels at peace with itself and the success of Mother Seigel's Syrup in reviving lished. world in general. Jack and his fides Actates, the torpid digestion, stimulating the liver, and eigars on the balcony, which overlooked the oth r medicines as an article to be relied upon Themes Embankment. The reflections of the when the use of ordinary drugs has been follow-

"Lerpecta lett rfrom her to-night," said Inc. Lefevre grouned as he knocked the ash wil he cigar. They had talked of nothing but her fer the last hour, and he had foully hoped a moment intrusions of igneous rock-which traverse the ." Then consider your allowance trebled, Jack, ago that he had been successful in changing the

and disintegrating from the surface down to ... All right; I'll got Mrs. Featherbrain to returned Charlie resignedly; for I've been "All right, Charlie," returned the happy lover, as he leaned over the iron railings in order to watch the movements of the blue-coated mossenger of upid, The moon smiled down in placed approval on his glad young face, so bright with joyous anticipation. " By Jove, he's hore," he exclaimed. "I must o inside and strike a light."

> "Five minutes for refreshment," he said, takng a long pull at his whicky and selfsor. As he smoked placedly on he heard the door of he sitting-room open and that again. He heard the crackling of the paper as his friend tore open the envelope. Then there was silence. A silence so long, so intense, that it became oppressive. Lefevre roused himselt and called out cheerily,

Charlie leaned back in his chair and heaved

What news, old man !" There was no response. Astonished, he rose, and, turning to go in, saw his friend standing motionless, with drawn, ashen face, gazing down at an open letter which be held in his hand. " Jack, old fellow, what is it ?" naked Charlie, n a hushed voice, shooked at the terrible change that had come over the boy's bright face. " see you have had news. She is not ill -dead ? Jack raised his haggard eyes. His lips rembled, but he forced a laugh. "Dead!" he schood, and his voice sounded

strangely harsh and hollow. "Oh, no! she has

" Dear Jack, -I thought our affairs were pro-A characteristic and notable example of the ed, cigarettes are provided for such of the fair life, and that consequently our engagement would have to be broken off, so I thought it would be best for both of us if I accepted the proposal. By this means I shall be able to while it lasted; but now we must awake to common sous .- Your affectionate stepmother (in futuro). FLORENCE HRATTHWAITE.

Charlie looked up and saw that his friend was sitting by the table, his head buried in his arms. the crossed the room and stood beside him, laying his hand on his shoulder in silent aympathy. The moon swiled calmly and placidly on their sorrow as on their joy! What mattered a woman's falsehood-a broken heart the more?

In an Indian bungalow, up the country, Charley Lefevre sits satching beside the becaide of a sick man. It is Jack Trefusis, who, on a hunting exoursion, has been badly manled by a to the ready rifle of his ever faithful friend Flo wished she could have blushed In lieu Charlie is reading from an old newspaper, bride looked lovely in white satin, and wore I am justly punished," said my lord, the a magnificent tiara and necklice of princless

"Of a surety," he save, "we have altered the

"IT IS THREE THOUSAND MILES LONG."

We allude to the great-Mi sissippi River in America. For he deeds of miles of its course it vellow with the uarth which the swift current as tern from its banks. Probably the Mississippi bears constantly in solution ground enough to many a rich farm, though the amount is, of course, greater at times of flood. Thus, for drinking, and even for washing, the water of the Mississippi must first be purified. It is the same with anything which either for appearance or utility is in some way thrown out of character. For instance, the blood in our body is a river. From the heart to the extremities it is of a bright red colour, but on its Crawn.

return through the veins it is dark and sluggish. The reason is that when it starts from the heart it has just been parified, and when it comes 2 back it is loaded with all sorts of refuse matter it has picked up in its journey. In other words. the blood-which is only food fully directedcarries life on its red current and brings away disease and death on its dark one. Speaking of her own condition at a period about six years since, a woman writes that her skin gradually became first yellow and then of a saffron colour. Counseted with this she experienced several symptoms of illness. She had more or less pain at the sides and considerable difficulty in breathing. Her appetite previously good, began to fail and after enting comparaof the stomach. There was an attendant loss of receives regular SPECIAL TELEGRAMS 55.—Cowie, Dr. A., Queen's 54.—MacEwen, F. & Co.

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friends thought I was in a decline. "I did not eat enough to feed a bird, and began to despair of ever recovering my health. With many ups and downs in the way of feeling, only just to mention that I feel better now than space, achieving a clearness not previously

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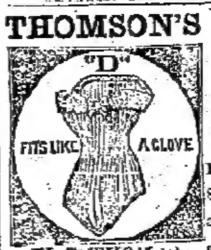
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魚友馬 , Salt Water , E Shrimps 魚啊 Skate...... 6 7 Snapper fig Tench 魚口左 Turbot 1273 Turtles, small, fresh water " fats Whiting FRZI Whitebait..... FRUITS. 旗平山金 Apples, California......catty 20 ,, Tientsin Custard 展示域者 Bananas, fragrant, C'ton. " , brides

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White Carrot " - " ■大 Yams 21 , 3

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CHAPTER XIII: FACE TO FACE WITH THE AWPUL PAST. Not only did Wallard believe himself to be r detective of the flest water, but in talking to his ospecial friend, Lord ---- the impecunious son of a nable house-he gave himself all the airs of one: "Now, you will see," he would say, "that this

will turn out precisely as I predict. To give him his due, it sometimes did. for the man really possessed a considerable knowledge of Why, bother me. I hadn't thought of her Noyoung daughter, the husband did not escape his bet " notice and study.

mould into any shaps Tohoose," It was because he thought he had need of little more shyly. -which he once had borne for the mother to the daughter. She had all her mother's beauty, her mother's hair and eves, and all her mother's winsome ways, and she was young, an opening being mentioned, rashed up the companion. bad, like a rose in its pristing bloom and colour.

What chance bad he with so young and inno-There is not the ghost of a wrinkle tracted, had huzried away to fetch water. around those eyes. I have lived a healthful life. per have I over frittered myself away. See how clear my oves are, how smooth and white my brow. I know woman's heart thoroughly.

ere the sun has stolen its charming tints.

That was Wallard's verdict of himself The Scattish Chieftain made a splendid passage to Lerwick, and almost the first question Wallard asked when he had got on shore was: "Has the Arctic Queen come in yet?" "No." was the reply, but she is expected

hore every day. "She won't stay here long, I suppose P' "Only a day," cried the landlord, then he once more with the awful past, winked. "You see, sir," he added, by way of explaining his wink, " the skipper got married last fall, and he'll crack on home to his wife, you may be sure. And they say she is a full ship this

And sure enough next afternoon the Arcti Queen sailed into the great hurbour or land looked sait water lake in front of the queer

quaint town of Lerwick. Almost immediately after she had dropped anchor, and clued sails, boats were seen show no off from the yeasel, filled with browny Shellanders, with their bags and their boxes. 'Their' friends were on the beach to await their coming. and such a scene of affectionate greeting, when and fathers all struggled and fought for their boys' embraces, and the babble of strange tongues, the languing and chearing were some this new. Weeks must never know that the more than her mother. But instead of this, if greater logic in presenting a dirty than a Impulled by the arms of sturdy Scots there

next came the Captain's own whiler. Gregory looked grand. Wallard could not help thinking so. In evening dress he had been a failure, but here in his suit of freck pilot and sailor's hat he was every inch a seaman and a min. He went straight fow ords the hotel, where he was met by many of his Shetland friends and anquaintances, and every hand was stretched out to grasp his.

Bravo, the Arctic Queen." "Full up again, Gregory ?"

"The luckiest ship that goes to the country "The luckiest skipper too!" " Not a bit of it." put in the landlord, "Captain Thomas Gregory has a head upon his shoulders, that's it, neighbours. But I say skipper, what stay are you going to make ?"

"Be off to morrow, Mr. B." "Ah | but you'll let the boys come on shore to enjoy themselves and buy some protty mits for their sweathwarts, you can't refuse them that. Burely, since you've been so lucky ?"

"No, I suppose I mustn't," said Gregory,

"I' ere are lots of letters for you in the coffee " Well, I'll go and get them. I hope all's wel at home. By-bee, boys, see you all later on." Wallard in the background had been listening

to this conversation. He now quietly followed Gregory into the room, and took up a paper. . The longest sailor read his letters from home. and many a smile of joy stole over his counternnee na ho did so. "All well and happy," he said along at last.

"Thank the Lord of Heaven for that." It was a very fervent ejaculation, and ended with sigh of intense relief. Then he dooked round and noticed Wallard "Why," he said, laughing, "I really thought I hobby horse. was ill alone

"Never mind me, Captain," said Wallard, "But permit me to congratulate you on the fact that your letters have given you pleasure." "Ah! yes I'm in lack this voyage. So different from last. Waiter, bring me a little whisky and soda.

" Way I join you, sir, in a drink ?" "You're very good, Mr. -a-"

"Wallard is my name." "Aud I'm Tom Gregory-plain Tom Gregory." " Pleased to meet you, I'm sare," The two men shook hands with a certain de-

gree of hearliness. "Now," said Wallard when the drinks were brought, " is there anything I can tell you? For I suppose you haven't had news for many a day; I had for you, dear, I have transferred to-" but let me save to begin with, that the Conservative Government is still in power, that the grand

"Fiddlestick!" interrupted Gregory. "Well, the grand old fiddlestick is alive and hearty, that the Irish question remains un ettled. and that we haven't come to war with France

over Egypt yet," "Brave! Sir. I'm pleased to have met you." "And I to have met you, Captain Gregory. Will you din with me here to-night? I dare say the viands we shall get will not rival those those of Delmonico or the Cri, but you accept, and I'll give the order, and try to stir the old folks up."

"O. with pleasure, I'm sure." "And," said Wallard, " I shall tell you all you want to know about our dear old country, and bear stalking, and all the wild sports of the far yours. Wallard."

North." I say it myself, what I don't know about Green. himself a cigarette. land, north and west-well, isn't worth making a note of. Are you fond of sport, Mr Wallard?" "Passionately so, In fact, Captain Gregory, I'm rather an idle fellow. I had the good, or bad, fortune some years ago to be left what is called

"What! Do I speak to a brother sailor ?" "I have been a seafaror for many years if not a sailor. Entered as a humble clerk, and rose to be a humble purser." "You're a sailor, and that's enough for me.

Tip me your flipper again, and exense my br ken English. You've been a seafarer. But how could you have given it up P" "Oh. I did not quite give up the sea, In

take a passage next season in a scaler to Green- himself. He would have made a better parson. | She almost caught herself wishing he might "Well, look here, sir, you're a man of the world, I can see; and if you care to take a trip

The dinner passed off to Willard's complete satisfaction, and before Gregory and he parted This was precisely what he wanted. The winds were contrary at times, and at times there was no wind at all, so the voyage was quite a long one But Wallard made himself the life and joy of

the ship; he was soon beloved fore and aft. . " How I should have been fretting and fom-" Never !" hissed Winnie. ing now," said the good skipper, "if you b d not been on board. I tell you what it is, Mr. greatest drawback in an argument. Again I Woman-like the first thing she did was to file at the Office of L. P. Fissers, who is author Piletshire, British str., 1878, Daver, Dec. 29, Wallard, Providence must have sent you." say be reasonable. Let us look matters straight throw herself on the bed, and to indulge in what rised to receive Advertisements.

thought Willard. But a fair wind came at last, and the good barque apread her wings and flow before it.

"I darosay," said Wallard, on the last morning, " there are plenty of trains south ?" running off south for two or three weeks to come, I shall make you atrici prisoner in my bungalow and clap a sentry at your door armed might possibly turn out as great a black-" with a harpoon gan." Wallard Jonghed. "Don't forget," he said, 'that you have a wife be dangerous. Wallard." o please. Ladies don't love me. Gregory." Well, I will give yo "Come, come," gaid the innocent skipper. that's past a joke. You don't know Winnie !" events would be seldom at home." " Don't I, though," thought Wellard.

"She'll welcome you for my sake." "She's welcomed me for my own ere now, Wallard said to his heart. "And little Rose. The Rose of Allandale.

poor Rose whom Wellard now intended to make your husband's sake. And you must sing to him speak the truth. I fear no opposition. I see no pressed her acceptance of them. And, indeed his c arry. Talk of lave at first sight, well, sometimes, Rose. My eyes, darling, how bonnie possibility of there being any ex ept from you." the good old captain went so far as to say one here was an instance of it. In one moment you look! Come and kiss your daddy once again. Wallard had transferred all the love-if real But where on earth has Wallard disappeared love a exist in the breast of such a man as this to? B-low is he, st ward & How pale you are. Winnie P No fainting fit again, I hope.

Winnie staggered a little and would have fallen, but for Wallard himself who, on his name And now be held Winnie in his arms, Winnie fainting, prostrute; he rejoicing, triumphant. It was a strange situation. Melodramatic in gard for me, and we—he and L—may even be a that sthe chief I world's treasure."

That coft (bough) contentment, peace, and pleasure; a measure, though it had been none of Wallard's greater friends in the future."

That coft (bough) contentment, peace, and pleasure; a measure, though it had been none of Wallard's greater friends in the future." cent a child as this? He did not hesitate to a measure, though it had been more of Wallard's greater friends in the future." ask himself this question. You will hate him seeking and certainly not what he had expected. "I will open my husband's eyes, Wallard.

"Dissemblea little." whispered Wollard. " You must. He knows nothing, positively nothing." "Leave me now," she gasped,

She sat in a deck chair, erect but pale. Rose piness or yours, madam? He has believed you and besides all-I have money, not to call it in tears was kneeling at her feet. Wallard with bonest-what would be say or do did he know must surely know that Frank and I are fond of folded arms, bimself a little pale, now stood be- you were a felon or thief ?" hind the chair, his eyes rivoted in ill-disguised admiration upon Rose's upturped free. Back bustled Gregory, and in a few minutes Winnie smiled and seemed her own happy self

Scowed P Yes, she was dissembling. Blee must, as Wallard had soid. God give her strongth She was face to face

CHAPTER KIV.

A GAME OF LIVE OR DEATH. Winnie had not a single friend in whom she indeed her heart must break. could confide, or to whom she could tell her sor rows, or the sad story of the crime. There was one, only one, who knew the whole sad tile, and a gentle loving heart she had alboit but a Cin- that is the chaque you stole and cashed. I reguice. That one was Weeba. Winnie had ever place it in the book, and this is the letter you respected and looked up to this woman almost wrote me confessing you had been to my rooms unless well ventilated, not only in the day-time,

they did land, Wallard had never witnessed be- told Weebs the story of her great temptation— bandy snother day, though—God forbid. endured and resisted for her child's sake-and "I have my own happiness to consult, Win- people have a right to be filthy. So they have, told her too of the abstracted obeque, she had nie, it may be made secure at a very small sa- | noless they are an active annoyance and danger mentioned no name or names. She was glad of crifice to you. No one can influence a child to their neighbours. For that reason there It was almost a matter of life and death that she house of cards shall fell with mine. should, but she feared lest Weeba, out of the "And now the game is yours to play, the path known symptoms, a course of Clements Tonic very kindness of her heart, might try to influence you would go is for you to choose. Play your will quickly restore the normal health as in-Captain Gregory against his gnest. No, in this game, whether you tell me in plain English or stanced in the case of His Honour Judge Miller, one thing Winnie must stand alone. So, though simply lead me to infer. So I have spoken, who writes:-" Court House, Winton. Queensshe grew thinner and paler every day, she suffer. Winnie Boberts." ed in silence. She went about as usual, however.

> She had not yet seen him slone to talk to. But! "Good God!" she cried, "what mean you, that tim : came within a week. Wallard in Gregory's presence had expressed a | husband still live ?" " that the fresh and bracing breezes of this rug- at her for a few seconds. " Truly an excellent ged coast would speedily make young again."

"Well, my dear," said Gregory, "why don't you through the garden and away across the fields, run over with Mr. Wallard and let him see it? "I have won, I believe," he said to himself. I've got to go out this morning, and I'm taking | Hardly had the gate closed behind Wallard Rose, but we'll be back to lanch as hungry as rate." ere the door was opened and Weebs herself Fragrant and delicate, its sweetness is ever nodded and smiled to Wallard. "We will go at | eaw her mistress lying there so quiet and still, and only true Essence. once." she said, and so retired to put on her hat. but immediately went to her assistance and in a OPOPANAX

scoper or later, and size king of to know Wallard's "I've had such an ugly dream," she said, and other well-known Performes are superior to all intentions, and to know how much she was in "but Weebs, how did you come here?"

But not a word on the subject so near to the baby, who wants Mr. Wallard to bring you to the hearts of both was spoken until they had en- Royal Hotel to luncheon. He has met a friend, tered the outtage. Tired and pule as death You seemed talking business, so I did not in-Winnie outed herself in the window-sill of trade But had Mr. Wallard known you had that empty room in which she had spent so fainted he certainly would have come back. He many happy, penceful days, while on a broken is so good, is he not, baby mine? So good?" chair Wullard seated himself a little way in "Yes, he is good, so good, Weebs. But he has front of her, bestriding it as if it had been a not gone away. He said he would return for

It was she who spoke first. home, to break the heart of as fond and innocent Winnie, and patting hor had, which rested on a busband as ever lived, and to bring grief and her breast. Sitting on the floor was a favourite sorrow apon my darling child? What is your position of Weeba's and Winnie had been so wish? Speak-I will have the truth."

and many a long year, Winnie, I have loved | They met Wallard sauntering slowly back to-Wallard, or this interview must be brought to cigarette away at once.

a conclusion, at all bazards." "Not one word of love to yes. Winnie. No because I have caused to love you. The affection | dress. "To whom? Speak, man, why do you hesitate?" He felt happy now, and hopeful.

" To your daughter." " To Rose P" Winnis almost shricked. Her eyes were almost starting from her head, and the sweet stood in big drops upon her cold forehead. own room and dressing to go with Wallard to hands. Only a villain like Wallard could have her. She rushed to the door and opened it wide. looked upon such an agony of distress as this No one there, not even Weeks. She went to

"What!" she cried, "the one only being I out. There was no one in the garden : dont upon on earth; she for whom I struggled "You must dissemble." Again she thought and toiled, she for whom I have borne all uncom- she heard the voice, though now more faint and plainingly cruelty, oppression, poverty, and dis- far away. The words, too, were precisely those tress. She for whom I would have almost that Wallard had whispered, almost blown into sacrificed my honour, she to fall into your hands, her ear that day on the quarter-deck of her your power, your clutches. Sooner would I see husband's ship.

"That I om I am an old iceman, and though actress," said Wallard, proceeding coolly to roll which he himself was inordinately fond.

knew and felt that her eyes were turned upon violens lust. Love! He is love! What a travesty him with disgust and loathing. a thumping legacy, and I then gave up sea-life at last, " are not quite so bad as you imagine. dissemble. Wallard had said she was an actress Nor am I quite the anmitigated villain you born. Well she would now make use of the seem to think me. I love your daughter with an | gifts that nature had bestowed upon her. honourable love, and after a week's residence | Wallard had not won the battle yet. Any-

riage by me." "She leves another. Although not engaged she will marry him, and him only." "No, she won't, Mrs. Gregory. You allade A game be it then. A game of life or death, without doubt to that handsome young fellow of bappiness or misery, but meanwhile she PANY, lincoln, England. TRADE MARK-"BLOOD fact, since this legacy was left me, I have visited who calls of an evening and says little or nothing would play for time. Time was the stepping. MIXTURE. every land on earth whose shores are lapped by and turns the leaves of Rosie's music, casting stone which might lead her to victory but from sheep's eyes at her the while. A sailor, he calls which he, Wallard, might slip and sink.

She will never marry that man. Winnie. She die. Then she shuddered and went away to look will marry Fred Wallard."

terribly in cornest. "Wienie, I own to you that my past life has forced. Indeed more than once she caught him not been strictly an honourable one from say, looking at her in a way that could only be desfor the night, Wallard secured a passage back the Church's standpoint. I have frittered a cribed as somewhat suspicious. So she detergood deal of my heart away; I have been once in mined to have a care and to act more carefully love -with you -you scorped and cheated me."

Peor Winnie grew paler now. "But now I have had my day and would settle Gregory was always preatly pleased to see.

"Come, do not get excited. That is woman's with her terrible position.

poor Ross to marry this heavest-let me say - she became more calm, and began to think. McNaughton P"

broken heart and a wasted life." shall play enother. This McNanghton, at all the sake of saving herself.

how," said Winnie. Even so kind and gentle s one as you would to her sorrows, as it ever does. human nature, especially femals human nature. hing more unlikely than that you should fall the young peopole. But leave that argument on "O, how will it end, how will it end?" she has although on that evening whom he turned in love with her, and she with you. He, he, he, he, he, he one side. He, at all events is poor. If your maked herself over and over again. his classes upon Captain Gregory's box, he look- Just my joke, Wallard, However, home you Rose made me happy. I should be her devoted How, indeed P. ed mostly at Winnie herself and her beautiful some with me, and we'll have some fou, you slave and yours. There is no joy or pleasure But weeks brought a little change in the prothat wealth can purchase that should not belong gramme. She was supposed by Wallard not to fordled her step-father, not less esmestly, if a much as she may love him now. I am a man of a month at least before he returned.

> " And Rose." "That is simply nonsense. As to the captain, I know slready that he would look with wealthy lady some day. Think of that, love." favour on such an alliance." beneath contempt.

"All is fair in love and war, Winnie. Your It ne'er was wealth, it ne'er was wealth, bushandent rtains a very great respect and re-

on because he has ever believed you as pure and true as you are fascinating and - beautiful, who marries you." But sm I mistaken, I ask you, in saying that Ross smiled and blushed, and her thoughts probity, and truth even more than his own hap jostch Wallard's meaning.

"Spare me, Wallard, spare me, spare me." It inclined to tell him all. was the cry of a woman in mental agony, but it | Wallard and Gard-who thought the whole had no effect on the calm, stolid man before her affair "confoundedly slow "-now occupied the "You have driven me to speak the truth. little cottage, and speak most of their time fish- THE LATEST TELEGRAMS, And I tell you, Mrs. Gregory, that if your hus- ing, but always appeared at Allandale in the band saw the grim detective's hand on your evening. shoulder and knew from your pale face and oroughing form that you were guilty, if be did not drop dead on the spot-and this would not orisis had some at last. be imprebable—he would turn his face away and

you would never see it more." Pears had come to Winnie's relief. Perhaps It is so hard for anyone whose nature is sen- they saved her reason, but her hands were now sitive to have to dissemble—to live a lie! And clasped upon her face and she was sobbing as if Wallard lit another olgarette.

hen he took out his pocket book. "Look up, Winnie, for a moment. See here, us a mother, and the affection she had for Win- that night, confessing you had drugged me, con- but at night. An ill-ventilated bedroom is a fessing you had opened my drawers and stolen But, though, for the sake of obtaining just a this cheque. That letter I also replace in the little sympathy from her. Wisnie Roberts had book, and both I return. They may come in

tempter was Wallard now a great at the bunga- you choose the alternative, if you doom me to a drunken man. Where disease heralds its aplow of Allandale. She herself could dissemble. life of wrotchedness and misery, then-your proach by such signs as indigestion, headache.

land, Jane 16, '91 -Last December while travel-The last word had no sooner escaped his lips ling from Muttabura to Winton, I was suddenly She played and sang in the evening, she was than she sprang up as if stung by an adder. She even deferential and affable towards Wallard. | clutched him by the breast even. seized with a violent attack of vomiting and diaerhous. On my acrival at Winton, Mr. Camp-

man? Speak, I say, speak! Does my former wish to see the little cottage where Winnie had | "You ought to be the best judge of that. Of lived previous to her marriage. It was n w to course you had proof positive before you sufferbe let, and he thought it would just do for a sed yourself to be led to the alter by another F" shooting-box or fishing-box for himself and his The empty room swam before poor Winnie's Granville George Miller, judge of the Central friend Gurd for a few months. "Two old eyes, she staggered for a moment, then fell bachelors, Mrs. Gregory," he said, laughing, heavily to the floor. The man Wallard looked set ess spoiled," he said, then sauntered out

Then Winnis got up from the chair. She rushed into the room. She started when she delightful. Use none but ATRINSON'S, the original Indeed, the interview she knew must come short time Winnie opened her eyes and smiled.

"I came with a message from the captain,

me at once when he had smoked his cigarette." "So good of him; so good not to smoke his "Why have you followed me here?" she said. little cigarette in my baby's presence. So good." "Why bave you set yourself to break up my happy Weebs was sitting on the bare floor beside long abroad that she liked it too.

"You shall have it. Mrs. Gregory. And you "I will rise now and go to my daughter," said will have it briefly too, and at once. For many Winnie at last. wards the cottage with some wild flowers in his "Stay. Not one word of love to me, Mr. hand, He was still smoking, but threw the

Then he offered Winnie the wild flowers. She took just one flower and placed it in her . Wallard gave a kind of a sigh, as if relieved

"You must dissemble." Surely some one spake. Winnie was in her She had half armen from her seat, and was most her husband and Rose. But she was alone. leaning her weight behind her on her elenched Still that voice seemed to have been close to the low window, opened that, and even walked

you can give me information about seal lunting. ing green with corruption, then she should be Yes, she would dissemble new. If hope lay anywhere, it lay in dissembing-it lay in fight-"Winnie, you would have made a splendid ing Wallard with the self-same wespons of

"The villain!" she said half aloud, " his whole He said nothing more until he had done so life has been a lie, and now he wishes me to and smoked for a moment or two, though he sacrifice my own only lamb on the altar of his on the most pure and holy of all human passions." "Matters, my dear impulsive child," he said | But stay, she was getting angry. She must under the same roof I conclude she would not thing might happen before he was quite snocesslook with indifference upon a proposal of mar- ful, and poor Frank McNaughton driven off

broken hearted. Wallard had talked about all this trouble as a game that was being played between them.

for Weeba. Winnie spoke not. She could see that this During luncheon that day Winnie seemed all up north with your gun, let me know. My man quietly and coolly though he talked, was her old self again and more. She only feared that Wallard might guess that her spirits were That evening, Frank McNaughton dropped

down. Be reasonable, Winnie, I wish you to But Winnie complained of a headache, and lished on the Pacific Coast are kept constantly retired early. She denied herself even to on hand, and all Advertisers are allowed free Weebs, for she wished to be alone-face to face | access to them during business kours.

"What a capital actor I should have made !" in the face. What advantage would it be for is called "a good ary." Gradually, however, but somewhat soft and unsophisticated willor Wint a fearful plight would she not be in if McNaughton por the prey was her innocent the red of his proy the prey was her innocent of the advantage of having a heart that would child Rose—Wallard should put his threat into love her truly and well, the advantage of having execution. And that he would do so she could "Look here Mr. Wallard, if you talk about a husband she could trust had love, instead of a not for a moment doubt. He was as calmly, goolly meroiless us the shark; as relfish as "The advantage of having a husband who baugry raven who picks out the eyes of the suckling lamb. No, it would be indeed in vain giving rolled, so certain to onre, and yet the most "Hold, not a word about Robert. I might for her to appeal to a man like this for mercy. But what a fearful alternative: to play into "Well, I will give you that card. Come, I Wallard's hands, to sacrifice her poor girl for Would it not be better to tell her husband

" He would always have a home to come to. the story of har life over again, and to add the and a dear wife and mother who loved him, any- | truth . about the orime ? She had almost made up her mind to do this, "Mothers in law are not always at a promium. when alsop scaled her eyes, and brought a balm make might not be invariably appreciated by But it all came back with the morning light

Winnie was among the first to come on board. to my levely bride. Believe me, Winnie, for give any encouragement to young Frank. "Soft," he remarked to himself, "a man that, She rushed into her husband's arms. She was ence in a way. I am sincere. Young Frank Mo. Providence relieved her of this discourtesy if I do ire to: I can twist round my finger, or in tears with very joy. Then came Rose and Naughton would not be remembered for over, for business called him south, and it would be Cough Lozenges is understated. The operation was the world, Frank McNaughton, I tell you, Meanwhile, Wallard knew better than to Gregory that he was now bising northward to "O, by the way. Winnie, at Lerwick I got ac- would keep out of the way for his own peace of press his suit with Rose ad nauseam. He was Lorwick. Most men, having found Winnie's quainted with such a dear good handsome fellow, mind. He is very young and as the old love most deferential to her in every way, and many address, would have turned up there and taken a sailor, too. I want him to stay for a few wained and wain it would, new love would spring a handsome present came to her by post. They chance of winning Rose's heart. Yes, it was works with us. I know you'll welcome bim for up to eel pap it. You shat your ear, and yet I were always sent through her stepfather, who

> "You know, Rose darling, you may be a very Rose sighed, and her thoughts turned at once "You have already tampered with the kindly to Frank. She was wondering where the wealth BLES, are sold in Sottles by all Chemista. heart of my dear husband? Wallard, you are could come that could bless them. She might have said or sang with Burns, the poet.

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